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FRANCE.

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PARIS, May 23.—The Paris journals of today generally agree in the expression of the opinion that the debates in the Assembly on Tuesday and Wednesday, inflicted a crushing blow to the hopes of the friends of the Empire. The *Journal des Débats* says the result of the discussion is a parliamentary Sedan.

It is understood that the Party of the Left in the Assembly will, after the close of the impending trial of Marshal BAZAINE, demand the impeachment of the members of the last Ministry under the Empire.

PARIS, May 23.—Their Royal Highnesses, the Prince and Princess of Wales, are expected to arrive in the city to-morrow. They are now on their return to England from their tour in the southern portion of the Continent.

The Remains of Louis Philippe to be Brought Back.

PARIS, May 23.—His Excellency, President THIERS, has given permission for the remains of the Ex-King LOUIS PHILIPPE to be brought from England and interred at Dreux, in the Department of Eure-et-Loir.

SPAIN.

Another Ministerial Crisis—Reclamation of the Entire Cabinet Resolved on—Another Carlist Defeat.

MADRID, May 23.—At the session today of the Congress, or lower branch of the Cortes, Señor SAGASTA, the President of the Council and Minister of the Interior, stated that in consequence of the publicity given to the documents relative to the secret funds, the Government would resign.

It is said that several million pesetas of the secret funds of the Government were used during the recent elections for members of the Cortes. Señor SAGASTA, the President of the Council, insists upon tendering his resignation. His Majesty King AMADEUS has called in Señor ZARALA for consultation relative to the formation of a new Cabinet, should the present members persist in their determination to resire.

The Government troops in Gerona have had an engagement with the Carlists in that province, and completely defeated them.

WRECK OF THE BALTIMORE.

Collision Off the English Coast—Probable Total Loss of the Steamer—The Crew and Passengers Saved.

LONDON, May 23.—A dispatch from Hastings announces that the North German Lloyds steam-ship *Baltimore*, which arrived at Southampton yesterday on route from Baltimore, for Bremen, and subsequently sailed for her destination, has met with a disaster, which will probably cause her total loss.

At 12 o'clock last night, when the *Baltimore* was off the town of Hastings she came in collision with an unknown steamer, and had a hole eighteen feet long and seven feet wide stove in her hull. The vessel passed by rapidly and extinguished the fires; not, however, before the steamer had been run aground. The coast guard at Hastings immediately came to the relief of the distressed vessel, and succeeded in rescuing her passengers and crew, and landing them in safety. When the *Baltimore* went ashore she ran on a rock, and it is probable will go to pieces.

THE SOUTH PACIFIC.

Australia and New-Zealand News via San Francisco—A Fiji Revolution—The Maoris.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—The following news dispatches have been received here, by mail, from Australia:

NEW SOUTH WALES.

SYDNEY, April 14.—The February mail from California was received here a fortnight late, and only a half an hour was consequently allowed for answering correspondence. A revolution occurred at Fiji, and BURT was compelled to retire from office. GEORGE R. NICHOLS and ALFRED LESTER have been committed here for two atrocious murders. Additional discoveries have been made in New-England of tin deposits. A stream of tin has been tested to the depth of six feet. Great preparations are being made to open the Intercolonial Exhibition by the end of the month. A rich platina mine has been discovered near Bendemeer.

VICTORIA.

Chairman BEIRNAN, of the Chamber of Commerce, is urging the Government to co-operate in guaranteeing the interest on another cable to India. Hon. CHAS. D. DUFFY has announced the intention of the Government to make Melbourne the terminus of Ocean Mail steamers. Ex-Premier MCCULLOCH has sailed for England.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Gold has been discovered by the telegraph construction party in the northern territory, but work in that section has been stopped on account of the floods. The bark *Midas* was wrecked in Geograph Bay.

QUEENSLAND.

Two new copper mines have been discovered in the Western District. The Railway Commission has almost completed its labors. The Government will probably extend the southern line to the mines. The wool crop of last season shows a large deficit. The cotton and sugar crops promise well. The Tasmania Council of Education has established a decree of "Association of Arts" for females. The first Catholic convent is about being built at Launceston.

NEW-ZEALAND.

TEKKOOTI again narrowly escaped being taken prisoner. Several of his followers have surrendered to the Government forces. WILLIAM KING, the great Maori chief, appears more friendly disposed. The General Assembly will meet at Wellington.

The Session at the Presbyterian General Assembly at Detroit.

DETROIT, May 23.—The Presbyterian General Assembly held a public meeting of great interest last night in behalf of foreign missions. An earnest appeal for the starving Persians was made, and a collection taken to aid them.

The morning the discussion on the dangerous of the ministry was resumed, and the report strongly opposed in effective speeches.

The standing Committee on Freedmen presented their report, recommending that the work be continued in the present form, and that an effort be made to raise $125,000 for the object during the present year.

The Assembly was occupied during the afternoon in hearing delegates from foreign ecclesiastical bodies. Addresses were made by Rev. Mr. GRAY, of the Canada Presbyterian Church; Rev. GEO. BURT, LL. D., of the synod of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, connected with the Church of Scotland; Rev. Drs. WILLIAM MILLIGAN and JOHN MARSHALL LANG, from the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, and Rev. RICHARD SMITH, from the Presbyterian Church of Ireland.

This evening Gov. BALDWIN gives the Assembly a reception at his mansion.

THE ASIATIC FLEET.

Movements of our Second-Rate Men-of-War in the Mediterranean—Dispatches from Admiral Rodgers.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 23.—Dispatches to the Navy Department from Rear-Admiral RODGERS, commanding the Asiatic fleet, dated Nagasaki, Japan, April 4, inform the Department that the *Colorado* reached Nagasaki April 3, from Amoy and Hong Kong. She would proceed to Yokohama, where Rear Admiral JAMES was to relieve Admiral ROGERS of the command of the fleet. The *Ecuador* was en route to relieve the *Alaska* at Yokohama, after visiting Foochow and Shanghai. She was to take the United States Consul LE GENDRE to Foochow, who is to obtain for Commander KIMBERLY an interview with the Viceroy of the Province. Commander KIMBERLY bears a letter from Admiral ROGERS, expressing satisfaction at the arrangements recently completed by Consul LE GENDRE with the Chinese authorities and the Chief of the wantoon tribes of southern Formosa, who are within the Viceroy's jurisdiction, providing for the rescue and humane treatment of persons shipwrecked upon the Formosa coast. The *Ashuelot* was at Hong Kong March 23. Admiral RODGERS gives an explanation of his part of the efforts of United States Consul LE GENDRE to secure protection to persons thrown upon the Formosa coast, and his subsequent satisfactory arrangements with the Chinese authorities. Among other things effected to protect shipwrecked people from savages was a promise from the Chinese to build a fort and barracks at Sieliao, to "mafoom" a British in them, and to build a light-house upon the southern end of the island.

On the 23d of March, Admiral RODGERS and his staff went in the *Ashuelot* to Canton, and called upon the Viceroy on the 25th. The visit was returned the next day. The *Ashuelot* will remain at Hong Kong, Canton and Wampoa for about a month, when she will proceed up the coast, touching at the ports of Shanghai and Nagasaki, thence she will go to the inland sea, where she will pass the Summer in surveying such ports as it is desirable to have a more accurate knowledge of. The *Monocacy* remains at Shanghai and the *Alaska* at Yokohama. The *Palos* was, at the date of the last reports from her, at Tientsin, but was at the date of this report probably on the way to Shanghai. The store-ship *Idaho* remained at Yokohama.

The *Saranac* left Singapore March 15. She had been detained at Aden two weeks by sickness among the crew. She had orders to proceed to Hong Kong from Singapore.

MEXICO.

Revolutionists Near Camargo—Situation in Cortina's Command.

MATAMORAS, May 23.—For the last few days the Revolutionists have appeared in small parties in the vicinity of Camargo, which is the head-quarters of the Government forces under Gen. CERVALLOS. Yesterday the revolutionists attacked one of Gen. CERVALLOS' outposts, and were repulsed with a loss of several killed and wounded.

It is reported that a small party of men belonging to the forces lately commanded by Cortina, have deserted and joined the revolutionists.

TEREVINO is said to be near Monterey, and QUINA near Cerralvo, both of whom are recruiting their forces.

UTAH.

Killed in a Mine—The Military Commander—Military Influence.

SALT LAKE CITY, May 23.—An English miner named DAVY was accidently killed last night in a mine by the falling upon him of a mass of earth and rock.

Much satisfaction prevails among all classes at the appointment of Gen. MORROW to be commander of the new military district of Utah.

The city authorities here are making vigorous efforts for the suppression of houses of ill-fame, the proprietors of which are being arrested and heavily fined.

Death of a Prominent Citizen of Ohio.

CINCINNATI, May 23.—Hon. REUBEN W. CLARK died at Batavia, Clermont County, Ohio, this morning, of dropsy. He was a member of Congress from the Sixth Ohio District from 1864 to 1868, and was then appointed Third Auditor of the Treasury and Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the Southern District of Ohio. He had been an invalid for several years.

A Railway Robber Killed on a Railway Track.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 23.—A singular case of speedy retribution occurred here today. Two track-laborers started to walk from Lake View to Buffalo. One of them, name unknown, pretended to be without money. The other, JOHN CONNELLY, paid for his meals en route. When within five miles of this city the unknown man presented a pistol to CONNELLY's head, robbed him of $18, and proceeded on the track, when, a few minutes afterward, he was overtaken by a passing train and killed.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

RED CLOUD and his party have arrived in Washington.

The President has approved of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Depot bill.

The continuous dry weather in Cuba has increased the sugar crop eight per cent.

HENRI ROCHEFORT will sail today for New-Caledonia, with others convicted of participation in the Communist revolt.

The Government has concluded a perpetual treaty of amity with the Orange Free State of South Africa.

The United States steamer *Tallapoosa* brought fifty seamen to Portsmouth, N. H., yesterday for the Tuscarora, which is fitting for sea.

PRINCE HUMBERT and his wife, Princess MARGHERITA, will leave Milan on Saturday for Berlin, to return the visit of Prince FREDERICK CHARLES.

The rush of travel to Utah is still increasing. Yesterday a number coming from the East. Sometimes hundreds arrive at Salt Lake on one train.

Capt. GEORGE A. POLAND, of Bristol, Me., late master of the schooner *M. O. Sproul*, committed suicide on that vessel yesterday afternoon, at Bangor, Me.

The Democratic State Convention of Maryland, to choose delegates to the National Democratic Convention, has been called to meet in Baltimore on June 19.

The drug establishment of Messrs. RENO, EAYE & Co., in Toledo, Ohio, was damaged by fire on Wednesday night to the amount of $30,000; fully insured.

The Controller of the Currency has appointed receivers for the Waverley National Bank, New-York, and the First National Bank of Fort Smith, Arkansas.

A criminal prosecution has been commenced against Gen. STANNARD, of the Vermont Internal Revenue District. His accounts are said to be short to the amount of about $48,000.

A fire at Marinington, West Va., yesterday, destroyed the greater portion of the town. Loss estimated at $18,000; insured for $8,000 in Columbus, Cincinnati and Wheeling companies.

A fire broke out early yesterday morning at North-east, Penn., in a tobacco store, and burned eight wooden buildings. The loss is estimated at $25,000, and is mostly covered by insurance.

Commander W. H. LOW has been detached from the command of the *Mohican*, and is placed on waiting orders. Outer Engineer HARMAN NEWELL has been detached from the *Lancaster*, and is granted sick leave.

The body of a boy, about eight years old, was found in the bay, at Fort Hamilton, Long Island, yesterday; dressed in a black suit, muslin under-shirt, woolen socks, lead shoes. It had apparently been about two months in the water.

Twin children of Mrs. BALL, of Portland, Me., ten minutes old, were left by their mother for a few moments alone, Wednesday, when a cat attacked one of them lying upon the floor, tearing and biting her flesh about the face in a horrible manner, large pieces from the cheek having been torn out and devoured. It is possible the child may live.

In the Presbyterian General Assembly, at Richmond, yesterday, Rev. BENJAMIN MOLE WAINE, of Lynchburg, Va., was elected Secretary and Treasurer of the Executive Committee of Foreign Missions. The Assembly refused to change the location of the Committee of Publication from Richmond to Nashville. Rev. M. D. HOGE, of Richmond, was elected delegate to the Associate Reform Church in America, and Rev. Mr. DURYUDDIS to the Old School Presbyterian Synod of Missouri.

STATE CONVENTIONS.

Action in New-Jersey, West Virginia and Arkansas.

Grant and Colfax Indorsed by the Republicans of New-Jersey and West Virginia—Labors in Arkansas Declare for Greeley.

NEW-JERSEY.

Proceedings of the Republican State Convention—Every County Fully Represented—Resolutions for Grant and Colfax—The Platform and Delegates to Philadelphia.

From Our Special Correspondent.

TRENTON, N. J., Thursday, May 23, 1872.

One more Convention of office-holders, without an office-holder among its elected delegates, has been held, and one more gathering of Republicans fresh from the people having declared unequivocally for Gen. GRANT, another enigma is furnished the Greeleyites, who already had an exasperating quantity on hand, and dazed as they are by the unmistakable signs of Republican enthusiasm and unity all over the land, have concluded, like poor Dundreary, that it is one of those things which no fellow can be expected to understand. It was cruel, doubtless, to add to their anxieties, but New-Jersey, without the aid of "the minions of Federal power," has declared plainly for Philadelphia, and there is no help for it.

The Convention of today, by which this result was reached, was one of the most respectable that has ever assembled in the State. It was not the largest, because the last State Convention ordered the basis of representation to be changed, as the Conventions had been found of unwieldy size. Every portion of the State was, however, represented in accordance with the call of the Committee, the delegates being apportioned among the several counties as follows: Atlantic, 7; Burlington, 27; Camden, 12; Cape May, 4; Cumberland, 17; Essex, 73; Gloucester, 11; Hudson, 65; Hunterdon, 18; Mercer, 29; Middlesex, 23; Bergen, 15; Monmouth, 13; Morris, 22; Ocean, 7; Passaic, 12; Salem, 13; Somerset, 13; Sussex, 18; Union, 21; Warren, 17.

A total of 428 delegates were thus assembled in Taylor's Hotel at noon, and were called to order by Hon. GEO. A. HALSEY, Chairman of the State Committee. Hon. SAMUEL A. DONAHUE, of Burlington, was made temporary Chairman, and after his short address, the temporary organization was completed by the selection of Major JOHN W. NEWLIN, of Cumberland, and J. H. ANDRIN as Secretaries. The following Committees were appointed:

On Permanent Organization.	On Resolutions.
Atlantic.....Israel S. Adams	S. H. Cavilier.
Bergen.....John Quackenbush	E. Walton.
Burlington.....Henry J. Cook	J. Roberts.
Camden.....Jesse Chew	J. Ellis.
Cape May.....R. M. Leaming	T. Beesley.
Cumberland.....C. Henry Shepherd	W. Potter.
Essex.....J. R. Emery	E. W. Potter.
Gloucester.....John S. Clark	E. W. Stetson.
Hudson.....John Ames	R. Seymour.
Hunterdon.....Chas. A. Skillman	A. W. Angel.
Mercer.....Henry Buckman	J. R. Noble.
Middlesex.....Isaac Lefferts	C. M. Ely.
Monmouth.....Samuel McIntyre	J. Newbold.
Morris.....Richard Speer	W. G. Lathrop.
Ocean.....John H. Shultz	G. M. Foy.
Passaic.....R. W. Hopper	Adam Carr.
Salem.....Quinton Gibbon	S. Hewitt.
Somerset.....Charles Pierce	I. D. Hoagland.
Sussex.....Stewart Stewart	J. Dunn.
Union.....Hugh H. Bowers	J. Davidson.
Warren.....Edward W. Beasley	Israel Harris.

Committees on Credentials and Rules were also appointed, and the Convention then took a recess until 3 o'clock.

Upon reassembling the Committee on Permanent Organization named Gen. THOMAS B. VAN BUREN, of Bergen, for President, and being unanimously elected, his appearance on the stage was greeted with great applause. Having returned thanks for the honor conferred upon him, Gen. VAN BUREN said it was the Republican Party which had carried the nation from victory to victory, and it is the duty of that party as it is its pleasure, to keep green the memory of the 500,000 heroes who laid down their lives for the principles it still cherishes. In the maintenance of these principles which have rejuvenated the nation, war came, and for a time the darkness of disaster brooded over the land. At last news came of victory in the West. Who achieved it? Only an unknown tanner from Illinois. But next came the news of Donelson, and hope began to brighten. The achievements in the West were crowned with Vicksburg, and then came the demand of the people that this invincible soldier should take command of the Army of the Potomac, often defeated and betrayed, but always a magnificent army. The tanner came, and henceforth the Army of the Potomac sought the enemy until all ended at Appomattox. GRANT had been called a butcher, because of that Virginia campaign, but only because he had butchered the rebellion in the only way in which it could be slain. After the war the people had demanded a sacrifice from him, and in obedience to their call he had accepted the Presidency. His civil service had been even a greater triumph than his military, for his Administration had been a continuous success. Yet now we hear again the cry of "Anybody to beat GRANT." There is nothing new in it. We heard it in the glades of Virginia from tens of thousand of men in arms against the Union, but it died away at Appomattox. In conclusion, Gen. VAN BUREN said he was not gifted with prophecy, but unless he entirely mistook all the signs of the times, there is no question whatever of the triumphant re-election of Gen. GRANT and SCHUYLER COLFAX. He named them as the standard-bearers of the Republican Party in the approaching canvass, because the Philadelphia Convention is to meet only to carry into effect the perfectly well-known will of ninety-nine one-hundredths of Republicans of the Union.

Gen. VAN BUREN was frequently interrupted by most hearty applause, and at the conclusion of his speech the following additional officers were elected:

Vice Presidents—Atlantic, E. D. Redman; Bergen, Neamiah Miller; Burlington, Hon. R. T. Thompson; Camden, Geo. B. Carse; Cape May, J. S. Leach; Cumberland, Alphonse Woodruff; Essex, Henry Baker; Gloucester, H. Lewis; Hudson, J. F. Fielder; Hunterdon, John C. Hopewell; Mercer, A. S. Livingston; Middlesex, John S. Schultz; Monmouth, A. McLane; Morris, Lewis B. Cobb; Ocean, T. G. W. Harris; Passaic, James Nightingale; Salem, Geo. Hires, Jr.; Somerset, J. Stewart; Sussex, Sussex; Wm. McDonald; Union, John H. Lafferty; Warren, Henry V. Hartz.

Secretary—John T. Foster.

Assistant Secretaries—First District, T. M. K. Lee, Jr., Camden; Second District, John H. Antrim, Burlington; Third District, Robert E. Chenwood, Union; Fourth District, Wm. Titsworth, Sussex; Fifth District, Wm. Nelson, Passaic; Sixth District, Col. E. L. Joy, Essex; Seventh District, J. R. Hixson, Hudson.

Hon. JOHN DAVIDSON, then read the report of the Committee on Resolutions, as follows:

The Republicans of New-Jersey, in State Convention assembled, at Trenton, May 23, 1872, make the following declaration of principles:

1. We recognize the great principles laid down in the immortal Declaration of Independence as the true foundation of Democratic government and we hail with gladness every glorious effort toward making these principles a living reality on every inch of American soil.

2. The wisdom of the passage of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution having been fully demonstrated by their operation, we are opposed to any repeal or modification thereof.

3. We favor the removal of the disqualifications and restrictions imposed upon the late rebels, in the same measure as their spirit of loyalty will direct, and as may be consistent with the safety of the loyal people, and we approve the recent action of Congress in the passage of the Amnesty bill as a wise step in that direction.

4. We are heartily in favor of such a reformation in the civil service, that good character and ability shall be the chief recommendations to office, and not political service rendered, or to be rendered; therefore we cordially indorse the appointment and labors of the Civil Service Commission, appointed by the action of President GRANT thereon.

5. We desire the early and total repeal of the income tax and tobacco tax.

6. While remembering we have a large national debt which must be paid, with accruing interest, we nevertheless desire that the burdens of this year should be reduced from the people mainly on the national faith will permit.

7. We take special pride in considering the economy of the National Administration in all its branches, and with gratification we point to the fact that since the inauguration of President GRANT the national debt has been reduced $130,000,000.

8. We are in favor of such legislation as will secure to all men equal and exact justice under the laws without regard to color, creed or race.

9. We cordially invite all those who for any cause are temporarily alienated, and who believe in Republican doctrines, to unite in mutual concession with us in preserving intact the Union of States, and in thus giving party life to the nation, crushed rebellion, freed the slaves, established the freedman and brought peace and prosperity out of rebellion and slavery.

10. We acknowledge our gratitude and deep obligation to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic, who so nobly and so bravely fought the battles which rescued our country from the hands of traitors, and we cordially invite them to continue to us their valuable services, by assuming the great duties of the war, we will ever, as we have done, be their powerful and ever ready support in maintaining our Republican principles and the precious heritage of the war against all and every combination whatsoever.

11. We fully indorse the Administration of President GRANT, and believe that the best and highest interests of our country demand the renomination and election of Gen. GRANT as President and SCHUYLER COLFAX as Vice-President.

These resolutions were greeted with great applause, and at the last the whole Convention rose into a tumult of enthusiasm. Order being restored, the resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The following delegates to Philadelphia were then selected, those at large being elected by ballot and the others announced from the districts and confirmed by the Convention:

At Large—Hon. Alexander G. Cattell, Hon. Garret S. Parker, Hon. Levi D. Gerard and J. Wyman Jones. Alternates, Hamilton Dickson, Joseph Cooper, John S. Irick, and A. S. Livingston.

District Delegates—First—John W. Newlin and Alphonse Woodruff. Alternates, Dr. Coleman Lewis and R. A. F. Archer. Second—Hon. Charles Haight and John Carmichael; alternates, Wm. Maxwell and Jas. Buchanan. Third—Aaron Clark, Jr., and John Hutchinson; alternates, Wm. Lindsley and John F. Edge. Fourth—Gen. David Vickers and F. A. Pettit; alternates, Hugh M. Gaston and Rev. J. Clark. Fifth—Gen. Woods and Theodore Little; alternates, Hamilton and Dr. Coleman Lewis. Sixth—Frederick H. Harris and Daniel Dodd; alternates, D. W. Baker and A. F. Condit. Seventh—Jas. Gerald and Hon. R. S. Gregory; alternates, J. H. Connell and J. N. Clark.

All of these gentlemen are well known as citizens of the highest repute, and no one of them holds a Federal office of any kind.

After the election of the delegates the Convention briefly considered a resolution to change the basis of representation, which was referred to the State Committee, and then adjourned sine die. Nothing was done about an electoral ticket, but it was generally understood that another Convention will be called in September to put one in nomination.

The proceedings were marked throughout with the utmost harmony and enthusiasm, and its tone fully confirmed the statements which the delegates, without exception, had made—that the New-Jersey Republicans are unitedly for GRANT. Except here and there a screwed or a doubtful man, the Greeleyism of the State is almost exclusively confined to the patriotic "Jim" SCOVILLE. The Republicans intend to carry this State for GRANT and COLFAX, and they there need be no doubt whatever of their doing it. E. C.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Republican State Convention at Grafton—Delegates to the National Convention Instructed to Vote for Grant and Colfax.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

GRAFTON, West Virginia, May 23.—The West Virginia Republican Convention here today for the appointment of delegates to Philadelphia was not so large as our State Conventions usually are. About 200 delegates were present. Hon. B. M. KITCHEN, of Berkley, was Temporary President, and Ex-Gov. STEVENSON Permanent President, with A. F. GIBBONS, J. W. MASON and R. S. GARDNER Secretaries, and a dozen Vice-Presidents. Thirty delegates were chosen to attend the Philadelphia Convention, as follows:

First Congressional District.—J. W. Allison, of Hancock; R. W. Simons, of Wood; Capt. Hugh Wallace, of Ohio; George Edwards, of Marshall; C. F. Scott, of Ritchie; W. L. Cole, of Doddridge; Major A. C. Moore, of Harrison; Capt. J. M. Pipes, of Marshall; Hon. W. E. Stevenson, of Wood; Gen. R. S. Northcott, of Harrison.

Second District—Alexander Spriggs, of Taylor; Hon. T. Hoke, of Mineral; Daniel Amos, of Jefferson; Chas. Hoton, of Preston; Hon. H. F. Pierpont, of Marion; Hon. D. D. T. Farnsworth, of Upshear; J. M. Hagans, of Monongahela; Wm. Smith, of Berkley; Geo. Koonce, of Jefferson; John E. Schlery, of Jefferson.

Third District—Col. T. B. Swan, of Kanawha; R. A. Burnap, of Mason; Cyrus Newlons, of Monroe; Wm. Davis, of Kanawha; Wm. O. Wright, of Cabell; E. H. Freer, J. R. Walker, A. F. Gibbons, of Kanawha; J. A. Gibbons, Geo. W. Moredock, of Mason.

The resolutions affirm admiration for President GRANT and his administration, and instruct the delegation to vote and use all honorable endeavors for his renomination. The Committee's report instructed for Senator BOREMAN for Vice-President. BOREMAN's name was stricken out and Vice-President COLFAX's inserted. All West Virginia Republicans are warm friends of COLFAX. A central State Committee was formed, with Ex-Gov. W. E. STEVENSON of Parkersburg, and Col. E. B. SWAN, of Kanawha, an ex-Confederate officer, for electors at large, and CHAS. F. SCOTT, THOS. E. CARRAGHAN and JOSEPH H. RAST for district electors. The Convention adjourned subject to recall by the State Committee, for nomination of a State ticket.

ARKANSAS.

The Bolters' Convention—Small Attendance—Greater Zeal Shown the Choice of the Delegates—Joseph Brooks Nominated for Governor.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 23.—The bolting Price Convention nominated JOSEPH BROOKS for Governor, and put a full ticket in the field; passed resolutions denouncing GRANT for removing certain officials in Arkansas; refuse to send delegates to the Philadelphia Convention, on the ground that it is now evident that GRANT will be the nominee of the Convention; pledge themselves to support GREELEY and BROWN, and the Cincinnati platform. Senator PRICE alleges that the President will remove every one of his friends within seven days. This argument led a few Federal officials to support GREELEY and BROWN. The Convention represents nothing. Out of one hundred and thirty delegates present, sixty-three are from this county. Twenty-three counties were represented by proxy, and seven others sent no delegates. Greeley electors were chosen, among whom are Senator PRICE's brother and his brother-in-law. The nomination gives much dissatisfaction, and colored voters refuse to support the ticket.

Congressional District Convention in North Carolina.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 23.—The Democratic District Convention here today nominated for Congress Hon. THOMAS S. ASHE, of Anson County; WALTER L. STEELE, district elector; Hon. L. B. VANCE and P. B. MEARS, delegates to the Baltimore Convention. Ex-Gov. VANCE presided. The attendance was large.

Maine Fifth Congressional Nominations—Convention—Great the Candidate.

BELFAST, Me., May 23.—At a Republican Convention of the portion of the Fifth Congressional District west of Penobscot, held here today, A. G. JENETT, of this city, was chosen delegate to the National Convention, and JOHN S. CASE, of Rockland, alternate. No resolutions were passed, but the general sentiment was in favor of GRANT.

Fortieth Annual Convention of the Alpha Delta Phi.

DETROIT, Mich., May 23.—The fortieth annual Convention of the Alpha Delta Phi closed its session, held under the auspices of the Peninsula Chapter of the Michigan University in this city today. Rev. Dr. SILL, of Cleveland, presided. MORRIS C. TILTON was elected President for next year. Rev. Dr. STORRS Orator, and JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL poet. The next Convention will be held at Cornell University. The public literary exercises were held in the Opera-house this evening, and were of a brilliant character. An oration was delivered by Ex-Senator DOOLITTLE, of Wisconsin, and a poem was read by Rev. T. SEWALL, President of Urbana University. After the exercises, the members, to the number of over 100, participated in a banquet at the Russell House.

THE STATE SENATE.

Executive Session on the Accused Judges' Cases.

A Question of Jurisdiction—Re-Election Set Up as a Bar to Prosecution—McCunn Asks to be Tried by the Whole Senate, but Senate Overrules Everything.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ALBANY, Thursday, May 23, 1872.

The High Court of Impeachment having adjourned last evening till the 17th of July, after fixing the time and place for the trial of Judge BARNARD, the Senate convened in extra session this morning, to consider the cases of Judge PRIDDLE and Judge MCCUNN, who are to be removed, if at all, by the Senate, without the intervention of the Court of Appeals. Twenty-two Senators answered to the roll-call, and the case of Judge PRIDDLE, County Judge of Chenango, was first taken up. H. R. MYGATT, Esq., of Oxford, appeared as counsel for the Judge, and LYMAN TREMAIN, of Albany, assisted by R. A. SHANNON, the District-Attorney of Chenango County, appeared for the prosecution. The plea interposed by Judge PRIDDLE to the charges against him was a general demurrer to the whole indictment, based on the ground that the alleged malfeasance occurred during a former term of his office, he having been re-elected Judge at the last general election after the charges had been made public. In support of this demurrer Mr. MYGATT addressed the Senate for two hours, the gist of his argument being the lack of jurisdiction on the part of the Senate, owing to the facts above stated. He cited numerous cases, both English and American—among others those of WILKES, MATTESON, WHITEMORE and CALLICOTT—showing the power of the Senate to judge of the qualifications of its members did not extend to acts committed prior to the election to membership of that body, and inferentially applying the same rule to its power over the judicial officer whose case was now under consideration.

Mr. TREMAIN replied in argument of three hours' length, contending that a demurrer was a proceeding unknown to the Constitution and laws, and entirely inapplicable to a case like this. The Senate was not a Court, but acted as a Senate. Even in cases of impeachment he doubted whether a plea of demurrer could be properly entertained. The object of the Constitution in providing this mode of removal of a corrupt Judge was simply to afford a summary method of protecting the people against loss or injury from the continued incumbency of an office by an improper person. They were the sole judges of his qualifications and fitness to continue in the office, and were not confined to any particular time within which they might seek for facts showing his unfitness. They could remove him on grounds of expediency, and in protection of the general purity and dignity of the Judiciary of the State. He contended that the Governor, in transmitting the charges against Judge PRIDDLE to the Senate, and advising his removal if they were found to be true, had thereby decided in his own mind against the validity of this demurrer. The Governor was, under the Constitution, a co-ordinate part of the removing power, and if the ground of the demurrer was tenable, he should not have sent the case to the Senate. The people of the whole State were interested in the purity of the Judiciary in every part of the State, and they had provided in their Constitution this summary method of ridding the Bench of unworthy members. Their rights in the matter could not be taken away merely because the electors of Chenango County, whether through ignorance or design, saw fit to elect a corrupt Judge to office.

At the conclusion of Mr. TREMAIN's remarks Judge PRIDDLE addressed the Senate, and claimed that according to the gentleman's own argument this case must utterly fail; for if it be true that the Governor is by the Constitution a co-ordinate branch of the tribunal for deciding this case, his neglect to make any examination of the case whatever, as shown in his message transmitting the charges to the Senate was a fatal neglect. He did not desire to detract from the power which the Senate possessed in proceedings of this nature, but he insisted that they must be governed in the examination and decision of the case, by fixed and known rules of judicial investigation, and not by mere whim or arbitary discretion. If there were to be no standard of disqualification of a Judge, but he was to be removed on grounds of expediency, it might happen that some Senator would judge him unfit to be a Judge of Chenango County because he had declared his intention to vote for HORACE GREELEY for President. He said that the people of Chenango County, before whom all these charges against him were fully discussed during the last election canvass, triumphantly re-elected him to the office of County Judge, and were now entirely satisfied with the choice they had made. The people had some rights in this matter, if he had done, and he cautioned Senators not to attempt to thwart expressed wishes of the people to gratify the revenge or ambition of a disappointed politician who was the originator of the prosecution. At the close of Judge PRIDDLE's speech the Senate went into secret session and discussed the question of the demurrer for over an hour, but there was so much diversity of opinion that no decision could be arrived at, and as the same question is to arise in Judge BARNARD's case, it was finally concluded to postpone the decision until that case was determined, when they would have the advantage of the opinions of the Judges of the Court of Appeals.

JUDGE MCCUNN'S CASE.

Judge MCCUNN appeared with his counsel before the Senate Judiciary Committee this morning, and filed his answer to the charges contained in the investigations of the Assembly Committee, which were sent to the Governor, and by him transmitted to the Senate, and referred to the Judiciary Committee of that body. His counsel stated that the Judge was not ready to proceed with the trial at present, but would prefer that it should be postponed till after the trial of Judge BARNARD. He also elected to be tried before a full Senate rather than before the Judiciary Committee, in case it should be decided that a trial was necessary. The following is the answer which Judge MCCUNN filed with the Committee:

To the Honorable the Senate of the State of New-York:

The answer of the undersigned, JAMES MCCUNN, to the charges against him as a Justice of the Superior Court of the City of New-York, now pending before your honorable body, not waiving any right to him pertaining, but specially reserving the same, as he may be advised by counsel, to any or all the proceedings upon which said charges are based, or to the regularity of any or all proceedings in reference thereto, he reserves to himself the power of the same on him, or to the said charges, or either of them, so far as the same may be sufficiency in law, says:

First—That he is one of the Justices of the said Superior Court of the City of New-York, and was elected to the said office at a general election held in and for the City and County of New-York, in the month of November, 1868, for the term of six years, to commence on the 1st day of January, 1869; that he on about the 1st day of December, 1868, he duly took and filed the oath of office provided by law as such Justice of said Court; and that on the said 1st day of January, 1869, he entered upon the duties of his said office as such Justice, and continued from thence hitherto continued to hold and occupy the said office and to perform the duties thereof; and the said respondent, for his answer to the said charges, and each and every of the allegations therein contained, or waive or intend to waive his right to demur to the same, and hereby reserves and says that he insists that any, each and all of the said acts and matters in the said charges and each of them alleged, if they shall be by proper and competent proof in the judgment of your honorable body deemed to have occurred or to have been committed by him, will be found to have occurred before his election to the said office for the term for which he now holds the same; and before he took and filed the oath of office as such Justice, and entered upon the performance of the duties of the said office for the said term; and he further avers and says that, for the reasons aforesaid, your honorable body has no jurisdiction to try him upon the said charges or either of them, or to remove him or advise his removal from the said office, for, or on account or by reason of any, either or all of the acts and matters alleged and complained of in the said several charges or any or either of them.

Second—And for a further and separate answer to the said charges and each of them this respondent says he denies each and every of the said charges, and each and every allegation in the said several charges contained. JOHN H. MCCUNN,

By A. C. DAVIS, of Counsel.

ALBANY, May 23, 1872.

On reassembling of the Senate, this afternoon, after the recess, Mr. WOOD, from the Judiciary Committee, presented the following report in the case of Judge MCCUNN, which was unanimously adopted:

To the Senate:

The Judiciary Committee, to whom was referred the message of the Governor transmitting the removal from office of JOHN H. MCCUNN, one of the Justices of the Superior Court of the City of New-York, so reports:

That they have been advised by said officer in writing under his oath, that a copy of the charges against the said official, transmitted by the Governor to the Senate, has been served on him, and he has served with the said the answer thereto, wherein that the said charges, with the evidence which accompanied the same are denied attested. That the said JOHN H. MCCUNN stands to be tried on the charges against him before the Senate rather than before the Committee, and that the taking of the testimony and all other proceedings be had before the Senate. Your Committee, therefore, submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of the matter, and that the same be submitted to the Senate for its action. JAMES WOOD, Chairman.

Dated, May 23, 1872.

The Senate then adjourned to the 18th of June, until which time Mr. A. C. DAVIS, counsel for Judge MCCUNN, asked to be allowed to prepare his case.

WASHINGTON.

Progress of the Earth and Tax Bill in the Senate Committee—Civil Appropriations—Freedman's Bureau—The Tammany Ticket—Medical Record of the War.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The Finance Committee substantially finished the tariff portion of the tax bill today, and are to-night engaged on the internal revenue portion. They have left coal and salt as in the House bill; lumber has been changed from the rate in the House bill, which places it in the horizontal ten per cent. list, to $2 per thousand on pine, with similar reduction on other grades. The free list has been considerably enlarged under Mr. MORRILL's adjustment. Gunpowder and saltpetre have been taken off, and block tin has been put on. The book clauses were adjusted so as to protect publishers from the abuses which would follow if the House amendments prevailed. It is expected that they will be ready to report the bill to-morrow.

MR. FARNSWORTH AND MR. MULLETT.

The early part of yesterday's session was occupied in disposing of Mr. FARNSWORTH's annual and chronic attack on Supervising Architect MULLETT. He had heaped charges up the day before to such a magnitude that the House determined Mr. FARNSWORTH should have a chance to sustain them if he could. So, after much acrimonious and wrangling debate, Gen. GARFIELD offered a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Treasury to report specifically upon each of the charges made. This was done because the Supervising Architect is responsible to the Secretary, and if there is any mismanagement, he is responsible for permitting it. FARNSWOR

THE BARD OF AVON.

Unveiling of the Shakespeare Bronze in the Central Park.

Splendid Weather and a Successful Fete—Addresses by William Cullen Bryant and Judge Daly—Edwin Booth's Recitation.

Although the weather had been capricious throughout the morning, and heavy bursts of rain had alternated with great and oppressive heats, yet, as the moment for the inaugural ceremonies drew near, the prospects of fair skies seemed so certain that the invited and the uninvited in crowds began to stream toward that part of the Park which had been arranged for the celebration. As early as 2 o'clock the seats for outsiders beyond the roped line of the palings hedging in the parquet and privileged places were all occupied. The people sat patiently gazing at the muffled mass in the centre, with its bright union covering of stars and stripes, at the rostra on each side where BOOTH and BRYANT were to stand, and at the beautiful bordering of azaleas, rhododendrons, laburnums, hawthorns, gueldres roses, &c., which had been arranged along the lowest tiers of seats of the amphitheatre. At intervals rising proudly from the level of these were palms, talipots and date and palmetto and dracenas, which heightened the general effect. For this beautiful and tasteful decoration the public is indebted to Messrs. VAUX and WEST MOULD. By 3 o'clock all the seats in the parquet had been taken, and the celebrities began to arrive. The ladies were all anxious to learn who were the famous actors and actresses. Of the latter there were few. Of the former there were many gentlemen, principally from the companies of Mr. BOOTH and Mr. AUGUSTIN DALY. About 3½ the superb orchestra of THEODORE THOMAS commenced the exquisite overture to "King Lear," by BERLIOZ. The music, "wailing like a spirit in pain," soon hushed the inevitable hubbub of so great an assemblage and the overture was heard amid a silence so perfect that the softest shadings of the piece were fully enjoyed. At its conclusion, Judge DALY rose from the seats appointed for the Executive Committee, and delivered the following address and presentation of the statue to the Park Commissioners:

JUDGE DALY'S PRESENTATION ADDRESS.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: In the early part of the year 1864, intelligence having been received in this country of the intention to erect a permanent memorial, both in England and in Germany, to commemorate the occurrence in that year of the three hundredth anniversary of the birth of SHAKESPEARE, it occurred to several persons in this City that it would be appropriate for us, an English-speaking race, to whom the poet's works belonged as a part of the common property of our language, to take part in this movement by the erection of a monument here, the chief feature of which should be the most faithful representation of the poet's person that could be obtained, from the best skill we produce. The period was not for us a propitious one. The country was convulsed by a civil war waged for the preservation of the Union; but, notwithstanding this discouragement, it was resolved to take the initiatory step, and on the 23d of April, 1864, the three hundredth anniversary of Shakespeare's birth, a few gentlemen, in the presence of a small concourse of spectators, laid the corner-stone of the proposed structure with appropriate ceremonies. To Messrs. BOOTH, WHEATLEY, WALLACK and HACKETT, the latter of whom has not yet joined the majority, we owe, in the completion of a work, in which he took great and an interest, are due the first efforts to secure a fund for the achievement of this object. An Executive Committee was formed, and through their exertions the requisite amount was raised by the voluntary contributions of citizens of New-York. The work was then committed to Mr. J. Q. A. WARD, an American sculptor, with no other restriction except that he should adhere as closely as possible to the representation of the poet's person in the Chandos portrait, the Stratford bust and the print prefixed to the first edition of the poet's works, these being regarded as the three most authentic memorials, and how faithfully he has preserved all that they embody and how successfully he has reproduced the man as he may be supposed to have looked while living, will be appreciated by all who are familiar with the subject, when the work of that distinguished artist is revealed. Eight years have elapsed since the first initiatory steps were taken, but to produce a satisfactory representation of the most celebrated intellectually-endowed man that ever known, was no ordinary work, and when it is remembered that it has been several times attempted, and never successfully, it will be a great triumph for American art if, as I think and feel, it has now been achieved. A delay of nearly a year has been occasioned by the base metal of which the monument which is to be made of stone, regarded by the artist as the most appropriate for the statue, and which had to be procured from and wrought in Scotland. We had every reason to suppose that it would, in compliance with the contract, have been here before the month of April, and having that assurance, it was our intention to have had the inauguration on the 23d of April last, the anniversary of the poet's birth. It has not, however, arrived, and unwilling that another Summer should go by, we have had a temporary base erected, that the inauguration might take place today. I shall not, ladies and gentlemen, say anything to you upon the subject of SHAKESPEARE. That will be the province of the distinguished, and memorable American poet, who is here today, as the orator of the occasion, to pay his tribute to his great predecessor. The labors of myself and colleagues will end in leaving SHAKESPEARE'S image here, amid trees and flowers, palms, rocks and grass, scenes, objects which he loved, which he has so exquisitely described, and which were to him the fruitful themes of so many beautiful and instructive similes. There remains, then, but to tender, as I now do, on behalf of the contributors, this structure to the Commissioners of the Central Park, as a perpetual gift through them to the City of New-York forever.

As Judge DALY finished he waved his hand, and WARD, the sculptor, and MOULD, the architect of the pedestal, who had stolen from their seats and grasped the silken cord, gave a simultaneous haul; the drapery came away like a cloud parting, and there in the centre of the tiers of seats the bronze presentment of the immortal dramatist SHAKESPEARE in all its artistic beauty. There arose a clapping of hands and exultant cries, for the spectators comprehended that there rested before their eyes one of those things of beauty which the world will not willingly let die. On the temporary pedestal was this inscription:

"Old World, he is and other times, come!
Our New World, too, pass part
As opulent and as divine
As this stupendous mind and heart.
His monument hitherto was all
All creeds of nature were his muse;
To SHAKESPEARE, with Truth's perfect chime,
Is it the consecrated hand of time
To add the mortal of deathlessness?"

This was on paper at the request of Mr. ROSS WALLACK, but it is not the inscription which will be on the granite pedestal now in course of preparation, which is simply to the effect that the statue was erected in commemoration of the 300th anniversary by citizens of New-York. The Latin inscription was snatched off by an impatient committeeman. After the unveiling, the Arion Society sang "Schiller's Invocation to the Artists," by LISZT, in admirable style. Their efforts were greatly applauded, and were succeeded by Col. HENRY G. STEBBINS, President of the Department of Public Parks, who, in the following address formally accepted the noble present of the citizen subscribers to the Park:

COL. STEBBINS' ACCEPTANCE.

JUDGE DALY: On the 23d of April, 1864, an application was made to the Commissioners of Central Park for permission to lay the foundation of a monumental statue of SHAKESPEARE. This application was made in behalf of the actors and managers of the City by the late JAMES H. WALLACK, Mr. WHEATLEY, EDWIN BOOTH and yourself. The request was cordially granted by the Commissioners, and today I am called upon, as the President of the Department of Parks, to accept, in behalf of the Board, and of the City of New-York, the statue which has been erected through the means provided by our citizens with most munificent liberality. The generous conception formed by you and your associates has been nobly executed by an American artist, whose national fame will be heightened by his success in producing this enduring image of the world's greatest poet—a work which will remind coming generations that we were able to appreciate the genius and know how to fitly honor the memory of SHAKESPEARE. The Department of Public Parks desires to assist, as far as it can, in lending interest to the ceremonies of this day, as on all like occasions, when the attractions of this great pleasure-ground for the people are enhanced by works of hundred character. In this spacious out-of-door gallery there are already truthful memorials of two great Germans, whose genius finds as just appreciation in our cosmopolitan City as in the land of their birth. To the busts of SCHILLER and HUMBOLDT we now add the full length of the poet, honored in Germany not less than in America, whose lofty genius enabled him to anticipate the results of HUMBOLDT'S science, and even those of the most recent discovery whose author and perfecter is also honored by another statue in this inclosure. The one for this statue harmonizes with the designs of the architects of the Park and with the plans of the Commissioners. The Mall was engineered and constructed with reference to such creations as this. It was expected that monumental works would line and encircle its spacious avenues. Here is where the people are most likely to come in throngs, and where there is the greatest propriety in furnishing objects for contemplation and study, as full of interest and instructiveness as the images of the great and good of past generations, as well as works of imaginative art which shall illustrate the events, the thought, the sentiments and the ideals of our own epoch. Without detaining any longer the attention of this vast audience, I leave to the distinguished orator of the day, WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT, the congenial task which has been so fitly assigned to him, of pointing out how a generation whose eulogy of SHAKESPEARE could give to the great departed more satisfaction, could be heard to, as there is none among Britain's poets whose name stands so high in the world's esteem. As one who has long been identified with the Park, which is today so honored and enriched, I am peculiarly rejoiced that American sculptors and American capital have united here and now to give expression to that deep and tender and glowing appreciation of SHAKESPEARE which is as universal among the citizens of New-York.

After the applause which greeted Col. STEBBINS had died away, the orchestra of THEODORE THOMAS commenced the overture to Auber's "Fairy Waves of Windsor," by NICOLAI, a piece full of the most bewitching melody, which was succeeded by the glee, "Tell Me Where is Fancy Bred," sung by the Arions. The aged poet, WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT, made his appearance leaning on the arm of S. R. M. BARLOW, on his way from the Committee seats to the rostrum, which he ascended, and spoke as follows:

MR. BRYANT'S ADDRESS.

We have come together, my friends, for the purpose of celebrating the erection of a statue to one of the most wonderful men that ever lived; a genius great, far beyond all ordinary greatness, and destined to hold the admiration of mankind, through century after century, in the ages yet to come. In a part of this Republic which within a few years past has been added to our Union, lying between the Rocky Mountains and the western sea, we see yet standing a few groves of a peculiar kind of tree, prodigious in height and bulk, and seemingly produced by nature to show mankind to what size a tree can attain in a favorable soil and a congenial climate, with no enemy to lay the axe at its root. The earth, in its most fertile spots, in its oldest forests, and under its mildest skies, has nothing like them—no stems of such vast dimensions, no summits towering so high and casting their shadows so far, putting forth their new leaves and ripening their seed-vessels in the region of the clouds. The traveler who enters these mighty groves almost expects to see some huge son of Anak stalking in the broad alleys between their gigantic trunks, or some mammoth, or mastodon, browsing on the lower branches.

So it is with these great minds which the Maker of all things sends upon this earth, and among mankind, as if to show us of what vast enlargement the faculties of the human intellect are capable, if but rarely in this state of our being, yet at least in that which follows the present life, when the imperfections and infirmities of the material frame, which is now a burden to the spirit, shall neither clog the motions nor keep back its growth. Such a great mind was that of SHAKESPEARE. An imagination so creative, a reason so vigorous, a wisdom so clear and comprehensive, taking views of life and character and duty so broad and just and true, a spirit so fiery and at the same time so gentle, such observation and such the power of presenting to other minds what is observed—such a combination of qualities seems to afford us as we contemplate it, a glimpse of what, in certain respects, the immortal part of man shall be, when every cause that dims its vision or weakens its energy or fetters its activity of choice in expansion shall be wholly done away, and that subtler essence shall be let to the full and free exercise of the powers with which God endowed it.

It has occurred to me, in thinking what I shall say at this time, that the writings of SHAKESPEARE contain proofs that if he had but given his attention to the work of preparation for usefulness and distinction in other pursuits than that in which he acquired his fame, he might have achieved in some of them a renown almost equal to that which attends his dramatic writings. The dramatic poet who mixes into the mouths of personages whom he would represent as great beyond the common stature, noble words and sentiments corresponding to their exalted character, must, in order to do this, possess an intellectual character somewhat like theirs, must in some sort partake of their greatness. I wonder not, therefore, that some who have insisted that SHAKESPEARE did not write the plays attributed to him, should, in searching for the true author, have fixed upon Lord BACON, finding in them passages which may be plausibly referred to the father of modern philosophy and the most profound jurist of his age. I do not accept these theories, but I say to myself, when I read what they have quoted from his writings in support of it, "What a giant among philosophers was lost in this dramatic poet; what an able jurist and legislator allowed the faculties which would have made him such to slumber while he employed himself in writing for the stage!"

So, when I read the passages gathered from his plays to show that SHAKESPEARE anticipated Harvey in the knowledge of the circulation of the blood in its channels through the animal frame, my reflection is that here was an embryo physiologist, endowed beyond his fellow-men with an instinctive perception of the interior mechanism of the human body, and the power of detecting its subtle workings, hidden from eyes for century after century from the birth of our species. Not that, I say, perhaps still more remarkable, was the insight of SHAKESPEARE into the different, even the most subtle, forms of mental distemperature—an insight shown in his portraiture of the madness of *Hamlet*, that of *Ophelia* and that of *King Lear*. All these distinctly drawn, yet each now diverging from the others! What a physician might he not have made to an insane asylum! How tenderly and how wisely might he not have ministered to the mind diseased—he who so shrewdly traced its wanderings and was so touched with a feeling of its infirmities! How gently might he have led the poor lost one back from its illusions and guided it back to sanity!

Moreover, if SHAKESPEARE had worn the clerical gown, what a preacher of righteousness he would have become, and how admirably and impressively he would have enforced the lessons of human life—he who put into the mouth of Cardinal Wolsey the pathetic words:

"Had I but served my God with half the zeal
I served my King, He would not in mine age
Have left me naked to mine enemies."

I am sure, that if those who deny to SHAKESPEARE the credit of writing his works, but have had thought of ascribing them to the judicious HOOKER or the pious Bishop ANDREWS, instead of Lord BACON, they might have made a specious show of proof by carefully culled extracts from his writings. Nay, if JEREMY TAYLOR, whose prose is almost poetry, had not been born a generation too late, I would engage, in the same way, to put a plausible face on the theory that the plays of SHAKESPEARE, except, perhaps, some passages wickedly interpolated, were composed by the eloquent and devout author of *Holy Living and Dying*.

The fame of our great dramatist fills the civilized world. Among the poets he is what the cataract of Niagara is among waterfalls. As those who cannot take the journey to Niagara that they may behold its vast breadth of green waters plunging from the lofty precipice into the abyss below, content themselves with such an idea of its sublimity and beauty as they can obtain from a picture or an engraving, so those who cannot enjoy the writings of SHAKESPEARE in the original English read him in translations, which have the effect of looking at a magnificent landscape through a morning mist. All language has its versions of SHAKESPEARE. The most eminent men of genius in Germany have been his translators or commentators, in France, they began by sneering at him with VOLTAIRE, and they end by regarding him in a transport of wonder with TAINE. He stands before them like a mighty mountain, filling with its vastness half the horizon, its head in an eternally serene atmosphere, while on its sides burrow the fox and the marmot, and tangled thickets obstruct the steps of the climber. The French critic, while amazed at the grandeur and variety of its forms, cannot help suffering his attention to wander to the ant-heaps and mole-holes scattered on its broad slopes.

To the great chorus of admiration which rises from all civilized nations, we this day add our voices as we erect to the memory of SHAKESPEARE, in a land distant from that of his birth, yet echoing through its vast extent with the accents of his mother tongue, the effigy of his bodily form and features. Those who profess to read in the aspect of the individual the qualities of his intellectual and moral character, have always delighted to trace in the face, of which we this day unveil an image to the public gaze, the manifest signs of his greatness. Read what Lord JEFFREY says of the portrait, and you shall see that he discovers in this noble countenance a promise of all that the critic finds in his writings. Come down to the phrenologists of the present day, and they tell you of the visible indications of his boundless invention, his universal sympathy, his lofty idealism, his wit, his humor, his imagination, and every other faculty that conspired to produce his unclothed works.

This counterfeit presentment of the outward form of SHAKESPEARE we offer today to the public of New-York as an ornament of the beautiful pleasure-ground in which they take so just a pride. It has been cast in bronze, a material indestructible by time, in the hope that persistence it may last as long as his writings. It is nobly executed by the artist, and with a deep feeling of the greatness of his subject. One profound regret saddens this ceremony—that our friend HACKETT, who was foremost in procuring the expression of our honors to the memory of our great countryman, is not with us, but sleeps in the great author whose writings he loved and studied, and interpreted both to the ear and the eye.

The spot in which this statue is placed will henceforth be associated with numberless ideas and images called up to the mind of the visitor by the name of SHAKESPEARE. To all whose imagination is easily kindled into activity it will seem forever haunted by the personages whom he created and who live in his dramas: the grave magician Prospero, and his simple-hearted daughter *Miranda*, and his dainty sprite *Ariel*, the white-haired *Lear* and the loving *Cordelia*, the lovers Romeo and the gentle *Desdemona*, *Imogen* and *Rosalind*, and the majestic shadow of *Coriolanus*. Before the solitary passer-by will rise the burly figure of the fat knight *Falstaff*, and round about him gather his cronies, the merry wives of *Windsor* and *Madam*, and *Dorothy*. To those who chance to tread these walks by moonlight, the ghost of the royal Dane may shape itself from the vapors of the night and again disappear. But may the sound of battle never be heard here, nor the barbaric be trampled by the rude heel of the populace in its fury to disturb the fairy court of *Oberon* and *Titania*, and scare the little people from their dances on the greensward.

To memories and associations like those we henceforth and forever.

A floral of plaudits rewarded the efforts of the eloquent old man. Then came the Mendelssohn overture, including the "Wedding March," which, beaux an universal acquiescence, was well received. After these ringing strains came the recitation of R. M. BOOKER'S poem, "Shakespeare," by EDWIN BOOTH, which was listened to in deep the silence. The popular actor was escorted to the rostrum amid the most tremendous cheers and waving of handkerchiefs.

Every utterance was applauded to the very echo and when the actor retired, it was with the same tokens of pleasure. Never that had greeted his appearance. The overture, by SCHUMAN, to "Julius Cæsar," brought the ceremonials.

THE SURROGATE'S COURT.

Decision in the Gray Will Case—Another Claimant for John M. Tweed's Money.

Hon. R. C. HUTCHINGS, Surrogate, yesterday rendered an opinion in the matter of the contested will of SARAH GRAY, deceased, a case recently heard by him and heretofore referred to in these columns. The will is and bears date Dec. 7, 1869, and two codicils are attached thereto, dated respectively Jan. 28, 1870, and Feb. 25, 1871. No particular objection was raised during the trial to the will, but the codicils were contested, the first by JOHN CROLIUS, executor under the second codicil, and the second by Mrs. SARAH STRANG, a legatee and devisee under the first codicil. The additions to the original paper are in substance as follows: First codicil confirms will, except stating that CROLIUS had been paid for services in lieu of which a legacy of $6,000 was devised to him, and directing a close execution of a will, the son of the testatrix, had died, leaving a will by which he devised the house and lot No. 123 West Eleventh-street, to Mrs. STRANG. The codicil directs that the wishes of the deceased son be carried out if possible, and Mrs. STRANG is appointed executrix of the second codicil, and CROLIUS is appointed executor under the second codicil. The following questions, however, arose in reference to the will: Mrs. GRAY was the widow of Mr. WILLIAM GRAY, who died in 1866, leaving a will by which two houses, Nos. 125 and 127 West Eleventh-street, were devised to his wife for life, and provided that the house should be sold, but in case of her and their death, directing that the property be sold and the proceeds divided between the American Bible and the American Colonization Societies. The question as to the effect of these directions by the elder GRAY, the testatrix does not attempt to decide. Mrs. GRAY died eight days after, and both of her sons, who died before her, died intestate. The codicils to her will as stated were mainly in dispute on the ground of undue influence and incapacity of the testatrix, and on these issues Judge HUTCHINGS decides that the will and the first codicil should be admitted to probate, but the second codicil rejected, holding that the testatrix was under the influence of JOHN CROLIUS at the time, from the medical testimony adduced on the trial, when the testatrix was not mentally strong enough to execute an instrument of this character. The case contains some interesting points, which are clearly and ably touched upon by the opinion, which we shall hereafter lay before our readers.

In the Surrogate's Court, yesterday, another applicant appeared as a contestant, in the matter of the probate of the last will and testament of JOHN H. TAYLOR, deceased, a case which it had been supposed had been disposed of last week, by paying a daughter of the deceased, then in Europe, $7,000, and giving her a policy for life upon $6,000. Directed to her failure will. In an affidavit, filed yesterday, another party, claiming to be still another widow of the deceased, (the fourth now in the case,) states that she was married to the late Mr. TAYLOR immediately after his divorce from his second wife, about six years ago, that the issue of this marriage was a boy now nearly six years of age, and she asks that letters on the estate may not be issued until her claims are passed upon. An order to show cause was granted, returnable on Monday of next week.

Fees for Appraising the City Property.—Anthony J. Bleecker Wants that $15,000.

It will be remembered that some time ago ANTHONY J. BLEECKER, CORTLANDT PARKER, and another presented to the Board of Audit a claim for $15,000 each, for fees as appraisers of City property under direction of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. The claim was repudiated, and gave rise to considerable public criticism at the time, as being enormously excessive in amount. Mr. PARKER abandoned his claim altogether when he found so much opposition to it, but Mr. BLEECKER still insists on the payment of his. Yesterday counsel made application on his behalf to Judge LEONARD, in Supreme Court, Chambers, for a writ of mandamus to compel the Board of Audit to approve and pass the claim. It was claimed that the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, after the work was done, made a contract complete, and that a subsequent resolution amending the first was of none effect; that the claim was binding on the City, and that the only duty devolved on the Board of Audit to take action on it as one.

Mr. DEAN, on behalf of the Board of Audit, contended that the act creating the Board clothed it with authority to act only on claims for salaries of employes of Departments, wages, supplies, and materials, and within none of these is the claim of Mr. BLEECKER. He said that another act was now in the hands of the Governor for his signature, which would meet claims of the character of this, and in the meantime, the Board of Supervisors alone had authority to entertain it. The original employment was for a fixed sum, and the Commissioners should fix, and the latter had deemed $3,000 a sufficient amount. The Commissioners, however, were without authority to cover an appraisal except for the purpose of a sale, and in the present case no sale was contemplated. The usual and proper course had been to apply, through the proper channels, to have the Legislature amend the act, so the appraisal appropriated beforehand, but in this case the amount had not been fixed until after the work was done. In any view of the case, if a mandamus should issue, it should be mandatory only to the extent of auditing the claim, but not of any fixed amount.

Mr. WATSON, on behalf of Mr. BLEECKER, argued that this claim came properly within the definition of salary, and therefore within the authority of the Board of Audit.

The Court took the papers and reserved its decision.

The Stock Exchange Organization—The New Standing Committees.

The following is a list of the newly-formed Standing Committees of the Stock Exchange, chosen from among the members of the Governing Committee:

Finance Committee—Alfred Colville, (Chairman,) A. B. Baylis, W. B. Clarke, the Presidents and Treasurer.

Committee of Arrangements—G. L. Haight, (Chairman,) W. C. Souther, A. L. Drake, J. L. Brownson, E. T. Bennett, Henry Batch, and F. White.

Committee on Admissions—W. Seymour, Jr., (Chairman,) G. W. McLean, G. H. Brodhead, A. M. Cahoone, George W. Fuller, John Ten Brook, J. T. Denny, J. B. Norris, W. E. Sonter, J. R. Garland, H. S. Wilson, F. White, H. G. Chapman, W. S. Nichols, G. L. Haight.

Committee on Securities at Large—Edward Brandon, (Chairman,) J. Benjamin, M. L. B. Martin, Warren Kimball and W. E. Strong.

Committee on Government Securities—S. T. Russell, (Chairman,) W. E. Strong, H. E. Dodge, C. M. Stead and D. B. Hasen.

Committee on Stock Lists—A. D. Williams, (Chairman,) A. S. Peabody, A. B. Baylis, A. M. Cahoone and F. M. Myers.

Arbitration Committee—Alfred Colville, (Chairman,) G. H. Brodhead, E. S. Munroe, R. L. Cutting, Jr., J. K. Warren, H. S. Wilson, E. Manley, C. M. Stead and F. M. Myers.

Committee on Law—John T. Denny, (Chairman,) Warren Kimball and R. L. Cutting, Jr.

Committee on Committees—Alfred Colville, (Chairman,) Samuel Barton and H. H. Hollister.

Committee on Printing—A. M. Cahoone, (Chairman,) D. R. Hatch and John Ten Brook.

The Demolition in Wall-Street—A Complaint from the Stock Exchange to Investigate.

The Stock Exchange yesterday appointed the following as a committee to investigate the affairs of BELMER & Co., the junior partner of which firm, EDWARD P. MCILVAINE, decamped, after stealing about $40,000, on Tuesday afternoon: J. L. BROWNELL, S. H. HAYES, and C. H. KIMBALL. Mr. BELMER is a member of the Exchange, and there is the whisper of suspicion against him. The committee will endeavor to discover everything in relation to the manner in which the theft was discovered, and will report to the Exchange at an early day. It is the opinion of those who knew MCILVAINE that he will soon be captured. No authenticated audictons to the life of Desert by the defalcation were reported yesterday.

Election of a Price Commissioner.

A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday afternoon, Mr. DODGE, the President, in the chair, for the purpose of electing a price Commissioner, the term of Mr. GEORGE W. BLUNT being about to expire. Mr. BLUNT's was the only name mentioned for the office, and he was unanimously re-elected for another term, about twenty-five members of the Chamber being present and voting.

THE STOKES CASE.

Yesterday's Proceedings—A Scene in Court—Words Between the District-Attorney and the Prisoner's Counsel.

The proceedings in connection with the arraignment of EDWARD S. STOKES for the murder of JAMES FISK, Jr., attracted an unusually large crowd both inside and outside the Court of Oyer and Terminer, before Judge INGRAHAM, yesterday morning. A little before 10½ o'clock the prisoner, in custody of an officer, entered Court, accompanied by his counsel, Messrs. MCKEON and DALY.

District-Attorney GARVIN said: We are ready, Sir, in the case of The People vs. EDWARD S. STOKES.

Mr. MCKEON handed into the Clerk a plea to be placed upon the file.

Assistant-Attorney GARVIN—What is the substance of the plea?

Mr. MCKEON—Am I called upon to state it?

Judge INGRAHAM—Yes, Sir.

Mr. MCKEON said that in a civil suit he was not required to state the nature of the plea, and there was no difference between the proceedings in that case and in a criminal suit.

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Mr. MCKEON—I decline to state what it is. It is there on file for the District-Attorney to see it.

District-Attorney GARVIN—This case is very peculiar in everything that pertains to it. The murder was peculiar.

Mr. MCKEON—I observe every time this case comes up you refer to murder and atrocity. It is to be tried for the offense charged in the indictment. If it is proper for the prisoner to plead, he should be heard. It is. It does not become the District-Attorney to refer to his case in such a manner.

District-Attorney GARVIN—When the sentiment is called upon to make a statement regarding the plea, he is proper he should, he holds his hands and says nothing. Counsel rise, take a piece of paper, put the substance of his plea in it, is entirely quiet and says not a word. When the other side proposes to say anything he always interrupts, and he has five counsel to aid him in doing that for twelve days. They not tired out and left. What I was about to say is, this is a most peculiar case.

Mr. MCKEON—It is a shame for you to begin with. In the second place, a motion was made to quash the indictment before your Honor, which was denied on from eight to twelve grounds. In the third, special pleas to the number of seven were interposed, six of which were disposed of on demurrer and one to which replies were complaint for, and the plea disposed of by a jury of twelve men. The judgment on the demurrer and on the special pleas disposed of the prisoner was called upon to answer to the indictment. Now, Sir, when I come into Court representing the people, and I make a motion or other plea, I interpose of great magnitude, I expect to have the courtesy of a reply. I expect to this being done, but I say it is an improper and unfair course for the counsel to pursue when he puts pleas of this description before the Court, and when requested to state the substance of it to fold his hands and leave it to the District-Attorney to find out one of the most difficult questions of law. I will do his client any good. I tell the gentleman he is trifling with the life of his client; and I say further, when a man comes into a Court of Justice with his hand stained with blood to the shoulder, with a murder of this description, it becomes him to come in and put himself on the record. This prisoner pleads, and I have his case investigated in the proper way. If he is not guilty of this crime let him say so. He has told his hands and say, I am not guilty, and we are bound to make out the case against him, but this everlasting delay would not be an inconvenience to me, but in a case in which this case is presented to the Court. The gentleman understands very well that no one can argue that plea without knowing what it is, and no man can demur to it until he ascertains what it is. That involves a careful, thorough examination and comprehension of everything contained in it. I took a business position, and the counsel on the other side must certainly stand up like a man and say what it is in order that we may be prepared to plead or demur, or that we may move to strike it out. The other course involves a delay which you will see the necessity of, and the case must stand over for some days. I may say I am astonished at the course taken by the counsel on the other side. He has been a public prosecutor, and if he thinks this right, all right. I have no complaint to make. I will see in obedience to the directions of the Court.

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Judge INGRAHAM continued to say, if it was a plea in confession and avoidance it should be joined in the general plea of not guilty, but in any event that was the first he ever remembered where such a request was refused by a member of the Bar.

Mr. MCKEON—In justice to myself let me say I misunderstood the Court. The plea is a special plea in bar.

District-Attorney GARVIN—There never was any instance on this earth where such a request was refused before. When the gentleman defends the Ring, and is counsel for pretty much all of them, he thinks he can come into Court and good grace from him to address me in that manner. He has their money in his pocket now. [Applause in Court, which was quickly checked.]

After some further discussion, the proceedings in reference to the plea were adjourned to this morning.

Unsafe Buildings.

Since the last report, and for the week ending with Thursday, May 23, the following buildings have been reported as unsafe, in the particulars noted, at the Department of Buildings, in this City:

Second-street, No. 189, C. J. Folsom, agent; unsafe rear wall and piers.

Bleecker-street, No. 4, Jacob Van Rensselaer Cruger, agent; in a generally dangerously unsafe condition.

Second-avenue, No. 7, Mrs. Mary Cooper, owner; unsafe rear wall and brick pier.

Eighth-avenue, (tenement,) No. 316, Stephen Wray, owner; unsafe foundation walls.

Ninth-avenue, No. 442, C. C. Ellis, owner; unsafe foundation walls.

Ninth-avenue, (rear tenement,) No. 310, Stephen Wray, owner; unsafe foundation walls and rotten leaders.

West Twelfth-street, No. 26, Mrs. H. Carroll, owner; building in a dilapidated and dangerously unsafe condition.

Sixth-avenue, No. 638, ROBERT J. LIVINGSTON, owner; unsafe southern wall from excavating.

West Thirty-fourth-street, No. 104, JAMES GRUNE, agent; unsafe front and rear walls.

Stone-street, Nos. 16 and 18, ANN E. DOUGLASS, owner; in a generally unsafe condition.

Platt-street, No. 32, ANSON LIVINGSTON, agent; floors over stairwell dangerously unsafe.

Thirty-fourth-street, boundary north side, sixty feet east of Eighth-avenue, JOHN MCGOWAN, owner; unsafe iron columns supporting front wall.

Broome-street, No. 104, WM. A. ENTWISTLE, owner; unsafe foundation walls.

First-street, No. 21, FERNANDO WOOD, owner; chimneys out of plumb and unsafe.

Stone-street, Nos. 17 and 19, ANN E. DOUGLASS, owner; chimneys unsafe.

Liberty-street, No. 143, JOHN KAVANAGH, agent; chimneys out of plumb and dangerously unsafe.

South-street, Nos. 6 and 8, SMITH WOODWARD and J. FURLONG, owners; chimneys out of plumb and dangerously unsafe.

Business in the Court of General Sessions.

In the Court of General Sessions, yesterday, Recorder HACKETT sentenced JOHN SWEENEY, who pleaded guilty to an attempt at grand larceny, to two years and six months in the State Prison. FRANCIS CONLON, for attempt to commit larceny, received two years and six months. JOHN FAIRS and JAMES ROGERS, convicted by petit larceny, were sentenced to six months each in the Penitentiary. GEO. RILEY, for robbery in the first degree, received twenty years in the State Prison. The complainant, a youth of about seventeen years, swore that the prisoner, with others, came up to him on Forty-second-street and knocked him down, one of them placing his arm around the prisoner's neck, while RILEY took twenty-seven cents from his pocket. The alleged of the prisoner was taken out of Connecting pit

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange, MAY 23, 1872.

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—10½ A. M.

$5,000 U. S. 1-20 C. '65, 114½ | $25,000 U. S. 5s '81, reg. 112½
10,000 U. S. 1-20 C. '65, 114½ | 500 U. S. 5s '81, c. 112½
25,000 U. S. 1-20 C. '65, 114½, Gold, 114½@114¾

SALES BEFORE THE CALL—10 A. M.

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SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

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GOVERNMENT STOCKS—12½ AND 2½ P. M.

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The Pacific Mail speculation was again the feature at the Exchange, as on yesterday, and the heavy fall and violent fluctuations in the Stock more or less affected the general market, with the exception of Western Telegraph, which shows a firm front on a free demand for the *Bull* account. A good many hard things are said, and no doubt harder thoughts indulged on the Street at the sharp turn and enormous sales to Pacific Mail, yesterday, but the prevailing belief that the inside party, headed by the President of the Company, Mr. STOCKWELL, played smart as well as against some of their own followers, as against the leading *Bears* in the Stock. The latter, it is said, have suffered severely of late in their various maneuvers to "head off" Capt. STOCKWELL. The prices fell, at one time today, below 78 ⅞ cent., after a large business, from 81½ to 78¾ ⅞ cent. The total of transactions was again very large, and the Street is at fault this Afternoon as to when and from what point another upward reaction is to be looked for. The railroad speculation was somewhat feverish, on a diminished business, influenced by the somewhat absorbing interest in Pacific Mail and Western Telegraph, but in the Afternoon the temper of the market was steadier and prices rather tending upward. The Express Stocks were in request, the United States selling at 55@56½, and American 60, late in the day.

At the close of the Hall of the Exchange, the following quotations on the general market were made, as compared with Wednesday night:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS—MAY 23.

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
United States New 5s	112½	112½
U. S. 5-20s, '65, May and Nov.	114½	114½
U. S. 5-20s, '67, Jan. and July	116½	116½
American Gold	113½	113½
Bills on London, 60 days	109½	109½
N. Y. Central and Hudson	96½	96½
Chicago and Rock Island	111½	111½
North-west Common	75½	75½
Pacific Mail	81½	78½
St. Paul Preferred	76½	76½
St. Paul Common	58½	58
Ohio and Mississippi	48	48½
Western Union Telegraph	77	77
Erie	71½	69½
Union Pacific	40	40
Lake Shore	95½	95½
C., C. and Ind. Central	41½	42

At the very close of the Hall of the Exchange the general speculation was feverish.

Pacific Mail week.

UNITED STATES TREASURY,
NEW-YORK, MAY 23, 1872.

Gold receipts	$409,815 20
Gold payments	460,979 61
Gold balance	87,558,668 10
Currency receipts	905,623 71
Currency payments	2,441,263 78
Currency balance	2,896,522 67
Customs	$358,000 00

The last prices of the various Public Funds of the United States are as follows:

6 ⅌ cent. reg., '81 ... 117½ | 6-20 reg., '65 ... 113½
6-20 coup., '65 ... 113½ | 6-20 coup., '67 ... 113½
6-20 reg., '68 ... 113½ | 5-20 reg., '67 ... 113½
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Call Bonds, '72 ... 112 | 5-20 coup., '68 ... 113½
5-20 reg., '65 ... 113½ | 10-40 reg. ... 112½
5-20 coup., '65 ... 113½ | 10-40 coup. ... 112
5-20 reg., '67 ... 113½ | 6s, coup., '81 ... 112½
5-20 coup., '67 ... 113½ | 6s Currency ... 116½

The following bids were made at the Exchange Board today for the State Bonds:

Tenn. 6s, old	72	Connecticut 6s	101½
Tenn. 6s, new	72	Ark. 6s, funded	55
Va. 6s, cons. bds	56½	Ark. 7s, L. R. P. & N. R.	40
Va. 6s, deferred bds	5½	Ohio 6s, '86, '87, '90, '91	108½
Georgia 7s, new	57	Ill. Coupons 6s, '77	98
N. Car. 6s, new	20	Ill. Coup. 6s, '79	99
N. Car. Special Tax	14½	Indiana 5s	107
S. Car. 6s	52	Mich. 6s, '78	99
S. Car. 6s, Jan. & July	36	Mich. 7s, '78	102
S. C. 6s, April & Oct.	42½	N. Y. Reg. R. L.	100
Missouri 6s	95	N. Y. Coup. R. L.	100
Mo. 6s, int. not fd.	74	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	75, 107½
La. 6s, Levee	42	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	77, 107½
La. 6s of 1910	61½	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	78, 107½
California 7s	110		

And the following for the City Bank Stocks:

New-York	125	4th of N. America	105
Manhattan	131½	Hanover	105
Merchants'	117½	Irving	127½
Mechanics'	124½	Metropolis	120½
America	153½	People's	145
City	245	Nassau	115½
Phenix	104½	Corn Exchange	128
Tradesmen's	97½	Continental	96½
Fulton	105	St. Nicholas	114
Butchers' & Drovers'	150	Marine	105
Mech. & Traders'	119	Commonwealth	98
Gallatin National	118	Imp. & Traders'	148
Mer. Exchange	90	Park	167½
Leather Mf'rs'	185	Mf'rs & Merchants'	100
Second National	108	N. Y. East Exchange	95
State of New-York	108	Central National	112
Commerce	118½	Fourth National	114
Am. Exchange	112	Ninth National	111
4th of the Republic	115		

The decease of Mr. JOHN DAVID WOLFE, a few days since, at the ripe old age of eighty years, is followed today by the death of Mr. JOSEPH SAMPSON, another old citizen of New-York, who, like Mr. WOLFE, leaves a large real and personal estate to his heirs. Both were very extensive property-holders, and both prominent men in New-York City affairs thirty or forty years ago.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

HARVEY FISK. A. S. HATCH.

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The magnitude and importance of the CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILROAD, as a short, low-grade, economical line of transportation between tide-water navigation and the principal cities of the Western States, is becoming more apparent, as it approaches completion. Less than 100 miles of track remain to be laid to unite the Eastern and Western Divisions, upon which over 5,000 men are employed; the opening of the Through Line by Autumn seems assured. The development of traffic on this thoroughfare will be immediate and very large; the mineral traffic alone, furnished by iron and coal deposits along the route, will be sufficient to render it one of the most prosperous and profitable lines of communication in the country.

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THURSDAY, May 23—P. M.

The offers to buy Gold of the Treasury, at Loon today, amounted to twenty-five in number, and to $5,000,000 in amount. The Secretary, by telegram from Washington, accepted bids to the amount of $2,000,000 at 114.03@114.13 ⅞ cent. The subsequent sales in the Gold Room were at 114@114½ ⅞ cent., and the market left off weaker than it opened in the morning, although the Export of the day was about $1,200,000. The effect of the shipments from day to day is not so decided on the market as the *Bull* speculators in the Room anticipated. The explanation is that every million of dollars sent abroad really lessens the trade demand, besides taking the place (or covering) a corresponding amount of Exchange.

Bills on London are in good supply at 109½@109¾ ⅞ cent., 60 days, and 110½@111 ⅞ cent. The outside rate is readily accepted by the leading bankers, less a brokerage, for the sufficient reason that having connections on the other side, free of commissions, they can ship Gold Coin, as against these rates, to fair profit.

The Money market works easily at 6@7 ⅞ cent., and in exceptional cases, where balances are volunteered by lenders to the Brokers, 5 ⅞ cent. is accepted.

On the Stock Exchange the Public Funds continue strong, and most of the 5-20s and 5 ⅞ cents, Coupon Stock, dealt in abroad, are comparatively scarce, and the "long" ⅞ cents" of 1881, Coupons, in demand as high as 112@112½ ⅞ cent. The 5-20s of 1867 are 113@113½ ⅞ cent. The 5-20s of 1865 are 113½@¾, and the New Loan 5 ⅞ cents 112½@112¾ ⅞ cent.

The Pacific Mail speculation was again the feature at the Exchange, as on yesterday, and the heavy fall and violent fluctuations in the Stock more or less affected the general market, with the exception of Western Telegraph, which shows a firm front on a free demand for the *Bull* account. A good many hard things are said, and no doubt harder thoughts indulged on the Street at the sharp turn and enormous sales to Pacific Mail, yesterday, but the prevailing belief that the inside party, headed by the President of the Company, Mr. STOCKWELL, played smart as well as against some of their own followers, as against the leading *Bears* in the Stock. The latter, it is said, have suffered severely of late in their various maneuvers to "head off" Capt. STOCKWELL. The prices fell, at one time today, below 78 ⅞ cent., after a large business, from 81½ to 78¾ ⅞ cent. The total of transactions was again very large, and the Street is at fault this Afternoon as to when and from what point another upward reaction is to be looked for. The railroad speculation was somewhat feverish, on a diminished business, influenced by the somewhat absorbing interest in Pacific Mail and Western Telegraph, but in the Afternoon the temper of the market was steadier and prices rather tending upward. The Express Stocks were in request, the United States selling at 55@56½, and American 60, late in the day.

At the close of the Hall of the Exchange, the following quotations on the general market were made, as compared with Wednesday night:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS—MAY 23.

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
United States New 5s	112½	112½
U. S. 5-20s, '65, May and Nov.	114½	114½
U. S. 5-20s, '67, Jan. and July	116½	116½
American Gold	113½	113½
Bills on London, 60 days	109½	109½
N. Y. Central and Hudson	96½	96½
Chicago and Rock Island	111½	111½
North-west Common	75½	75½
Pacific Mail	81½	78½
St. Paul Preferred	76½	76½
St. Paul Common	58½	58
Ohio and Mississippi	48	48½
Western Union Telegraph	77	77
Erie	71½	69½
Union Pacific	40	40
Lake Shore	95½	95½
C., C. and Ind. Central	41½	42

At the very close of the Hall of the Exchange the general speculation was feverish.

Pacific Mail week.

UNITED STATES TREASURY,
NEW-YORK, MAY 23, 1872.

Gold receipts	$409,815 20
Gold payments	460,979 61
Gold balance	87,558,668 10
Currency receipts	905,623 71
Currency payments	2,441,263 78
Currency balance	2,896,522 67
Customs	$358,000 00

The last prices of the various Public Funds of the United States are as follows:

6 ⅌ cent. reg., '81 ... 117½ | 6-20 reg., '65 ... 113½
6-20 coup., '65 ... 113½ | 6-20 coup., '67 ... 113½
6-20 reg., '68 ... 113½ | 5-20 reg., '67 ... 113½
5-20 coup., '67 ... 113½ | 6-20 coup., '67 ... 113½
Call Bonds, '72 ... 112 | 5-20 coup., '68 ... 113½
5-20 reg., '65 ... 113½ | 10-40 reg. ... 112½
5-20 coup., '65 ... 113½ | 10-40 coup. ... 112
5-20 reg., '67 ... 113½ | 6s, coup., '81 ... 112½
5-20 coup., '67 ... 113½ | 6s Currency ... 116½

The following bids were made at the Exchange Board today for the State Bonds:

Tenn. 6s, old	72	Connecticut 6s	101½
Tenn. 6s, new	72	Ark. 6s, funded	55
Va. 6s, cons. bds	56½	Ark. 7s, L. R. P. & N. R.	40
Va. 6s, deferred bds	5½	Ohio 6s, '86, '87, '90, '91	108½
Georgia 7s, new	57	Ill. Coupons 6s, '77	98
N. Car. 6s, new	20	Ill. Coup. 6s, '79	99
N. Car. Special Tax	14½	Indiana 5s	107
S. Car. 6s	52	Mich. 6s, '78	99
S. Car. 6s, Jan. & July	36	Mich. 7s, '78	102
S. C. 6s, April & Oct.	42½	N. Y. Reg. R. L.	100
Missouri 6s	95	N. Y. Coup. R. L.	100
Mo. 6s, int. not fd.	74	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	75, 107½
La. 6s, Levee	42	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	77, 107½
La. 6s of 1910	61½	N. Y. 6s, Canal L.	78, 107½
California 7s	110		

And the following for the City Bank Stocks:

New-York	125	4th of N. America	105
Manhattan	131½	Hanover	105
Merchants'	117½	Irving	127½
Mechanics'	124½	Metropolis	120½
America	153½	People's	145
City	245	Nassau	115½
Phenix	104½	Corn Exchange	128
Tradesmen's	97½	Continental	96½
Fulton	105	St. Nicholas	114
Butchers' & Drovers'	150	Marine	105
Mech. & Traders'	119	Commonwealth	98
Gallatin National	118	Imp. & Traders'	148
Mer. Exchange	90	Park	167½
Leather Mf'rs'	185	Mf'rs & Merchants'	100
Second National	108	N. Y. East Exchange	95
State of New-York	108	Central National	112
Commerce	118½	Fourth National	114
Am. Exchange	112	Ninth National	111
4th of the Republic	115		

The decease of Mr. JOHN DAVID WOLFE, a few days since, at the ripe old age of eighty years, is followed today by the death of Mr. JOSEPH SAMPSON, another old citizen of New-York, who, like Mr. WOLFE, leaves a large real and personal estate to his heirs. Both were very extensive property-holders, and both prominent men in New-York City affairs thirty or forty years ago.

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

The St. Joseph and Denver City Railroad Company's

1st MORTGAGE BONDS

are being absorbed by an increasing demand for them.

Secured as they are by a first mortgage on the road, land grant, franchise, and equipments, combined in one mortgage, they command at once a ready market.

A liberal sinking fund provided in the mortgage deed, must advance the price upon the closing of the loan. Principal and interest payable in GOLD. Interest at eight (8) per cent. per annum. Payable semi-annually, free of tax. Principal in thirty years. Denominations, $1,000, $500 and $100. Coupon or Registered.

Price 97½ and accrued interest, to currency, from Feb. 15, 1872.

Maps, circulars, documents, and information furnished.

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Can now be had through the principal banks and bankers throughout the country, and from the undersigned, who unhesitatingly recommend them.

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THE NET EARNINGS OF THE CHICAGO, Danville and Vincennes Railroad are now nearly double the interest on its bonded debt. We have sold $1,200,000 of the 7 per cent. Gold First Mortgage Bonds within a few weeks, and offer the small remainder at 90 and accrued interest.

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No. 32 Nassau-st., New-York.

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First Mortgage Land Grant, Seven Per Cent. Gold Bonds. For sale at 90 and interest by

ROBERT WINTHROP & CO.,
No. 18 Wall-st.

COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Thursday, May 23, 1872.

The receipts at the various kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs	12	Beans, bbls	300
Beef, tcs, pkgs	1	Oil-cake, pkgs	3,187
Cotton, bales	400	Pork, pkgs	200
Flour, bbls	1,400	Cheese, pkgs	1,450
Flour, sacks	4,340	Grass-seed, bbls	410
Wheat, bushels	41,341	Lard, pkgs	600
Corn, bushels	128,000	Butter, pkgs	1,191
Oats, bushels	3,000	Tobacco, pkgs	1,000
Rye, bushels	3,463	Cheese, pkgs	2,541
Malt, bushels	600	Tallow, pkgs	344
Barley, bushels	27,000	Lard, oil, bbls	42
Corn-meal, bbls	100	Pecans, pkgs	50
Oat-meal, bbls	100	Whiskey (R.O.), hhds	31
Hemp, bales	10	Starch, boxes	1,675
Hops, bales	14	Tobacco, hhds	1,151
Leather, sides	11,000	Tobacco, boxes & cs	1,521
Hides, bales	617	Wool, bales	1,000
Lard, tcs, pkgs	1,000	Oil, bales	100
Beef, bbls	25	Cotton, bales	1,171
Beef, hhds	40	Skins, pkgs	50
Tow, bales	10	Spelter, slabs	200
Spirits Turp., bbls	425		

The exports from the port of New-York since our last, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, have been as follows:

By the steamer *City of New-York*, for Liverpool—15 cases Clocks, 2,000 bbls Petroleum, 1,000 bbls Petroleum in machines, 16,425 bushels Corn, 20 bales Off-cuts, 45 bbls Tallow, 60 bbls Rosin, 47 boxes Meat, 48 bbls Tallow, 1,116 boxes Bacon, 128 cases Agricultural Implements, 10 pkgs Bacon, 8 cases Cotton, 24 tcs Lard, 11 cases Oil.

By the steamer *Java*, for London—14 pkgs Leather, 12 cases Clocks, 201 tcs Pork, 207 boxes Bacon, 40 bbls Tongues, 25 bbls Hocks, 18 boxes Hams, 40 boxes Beef, 1,000 bbls Petroleum, 1,000 bbls Petroleum in machines, 1,000 bbls Petroleum, 1,000 bbls Petroleum, 1,000 bbls Petroleum

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, FRIDAY, MAY 24, 1872.

Announcements This Evening.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—LA FRONDA, (German Opera).—Fechet Company.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—ENOCH ARDEN.—Mr. Edwin Adams.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—LONDON ASSURANCE.—Mr. Charles Mathews, Miss Fanny Morant.

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.—THE BELLE OF THE BOWERY, &c.—The Volks Troupe.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY.—Mr. G. L. Fox and Rialty Troupe.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—ARTHUR O'—Miss Clara Morris and Mr. W. H. Crisp.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCES AND CURIOSITIES.—Afternoon and Evening.

CENTRAL PARK GARDEN.—SUMMER NIGHT CONCERT under direction of Theo. Thomas.

The New-York Times,

DAILY, WEEKLY AND SEMI-WEEKLY.

THIS journal is now thoroughly identified with the greatest political crusade of the hour—uncompromising warfare against all forms of corruption, whether in national or local government. For years past the TIMES has been exposing the deteriorating influence of self-interested politicians, and its recent warfare upon the Tammany Democrats has been received with universal approval. It has adhered to the pledge given in its original prospectus, more than twenty years ago, that the public should be truly represented, and their interests faithfully guarded through its columns. Its record has been pure and honorable, and the highest aim of its proprietors is to render it more and more worthy of its past history, and of the confidence which the public repose in it. Two out of three of the original proprietors still direct its policy, and guide it on all public questions. They purpose that the TIMES shall continue to keep clear of all narrow and unworthy influences and cliques, and aim to represent the great body of the public, as distinguished from personal factions. It occupies a perfectly independent position, and is free to speak the truth on all subjects and about all men. Its greatly increased circulation throughout the country adds to its power and influence. It will continue to be a faithful exponent of Republican principles, recognizing the claims of American industry in adjusting the sources of revenue; and it will advocate with untiring energy every cause which tends to further the welfare of the people.

A very full summary of news, and many general articles of great interest, are published in the Semi-weekly edition; and in the Weekly edition there is an unabridged report of the proceedings of the Farmers' Club, an excellent summary of political information, and a great variety of matter suitable for family reading.

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The Sunday Edition, per annum.....2
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THE NEW-YORK TIMES,
New-York City.

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☞ *Throughout the Presidential canvass, we shall publish fuller reports of meetings and conventions in each State than any other New-York journal. Very full dispatches will be forwarded by telegraph, supplemented by careful letters. Our desire is to place before the public the latest and most trustworthy information, and we have made ample arrangements for that purpose.*

Yesterday, (the 23d May,) we published exclusively a long and special report of the Republican State Convention of Illinois, from our own correspondent. This report was transmitted to us by telegraph—the other journals in the City containing no report whatever of the Convention. We also published an exclusive report of the "bolting" Convention at Arkansas, special dispatches from Trenton, N. J., and a great variety of news telegraphed specially to the TIMES. *The report on the Robeson investigation, partially suppressed by the Tribune, was given in full in our columns.*

The first decided indication of how the negro vote in the South will be cast in the Presidential election, was afforded yesterday in Virginia. C. B. RAINE, leader of the Greeley movement in that State, and delegate to Cincinnati, was defeated for Mayor of Petersburg by the regular Republican candidate. He had double the usual majority. The colored vote was *solid against Greeley!* The negroes have more sense than some Southern (white) Democrats. The campaign begins well.

It would obviously be a waste of time to pursue the controversy with the *Evening Post* about Senator CONKLING any further, since instead of correcting its first misstatements it continually invents new ones. It stated (1) that Senator CONKLING had opposed amnesty; (2) that he had opposed Civil Service Reform. We asked it for evidence in support of its charges, when, with great presence of mind, it accused us of "quibbling." It also plunges into general talk about Senator CONKLING's re-election, which is quite irrelevant, and defends Senator SUMNER for a vote which he cast in common with Senator CONKLING by the plea that Senator SUMNER's "re-election is not an issue in this State." What on earth all this has to do with the two specific charges made by the *Post*, neither of which it can prove, we cannot make out—but at any rate we have obtained a correct estimate of the *Post's* ideas of fair play. You may make a false statement about a public man, and misrepresent his entire course, without shame, provided his re-election is an issue in this State." Then he is "all right." But if he belongs to another State, then "the end does not justify the means." So many new codes of morals are promulgated nowadays that it is difficult to keep track of them all, but we will try to remember this one, and meanwhile we retire from this useless discussion.

New-Jersey Republicans have proved as perverse as the Republicans of all the other States, and declined to give substance to the charges which Mr. GREELEY and his Tammany followers have made so persistently that they possibly believe them themselves by this time. The Convention at Trenton yesterday had not a single office-holder among its elected members, and it selected as delegates to Philadelphia eighteen gentlemen of the highest character, no one of whom is in the Government service. But the Convention did much worse than this by Mr. GREELEY, for it declared that it was "heartily in favor of such a reform of the civil service that good character and ability shall be the chief recommendations to office, and not political service rendered or to be rendered." Compared with this, the utterances of Cincinnati upon the subject were weak and vague. The New-Jersey Republicans, it will be seen, are equally explicit in favor of amnesty, and the "early and total repeal of the income tax and the franking privilege." Mr. GREELEY has so set his heart on putting the country to rights himself that his apprentices of the *Tribune* will deny, probably, the sincerity of these declarations. But the Republican Party has always been so much better than its promises, that the country will trust it in the future in preference to the political mountebanks to whom Mr. GREELEY owes his nomination.

The admission of Mr. ROGERS, of North Carolina, to the House of Representatives, yesterday, renders that body complete, every State and district being represented. It is to the lasting credit of the Republican Party that this has been achieved without sacrificing a jot or tittle of the fruits of the war; and that, while no constituency is unrepresented, none sends a man to Congress except by the equal suffrage of all its members.

An attempt is being made at Albany, in the cases of Judge MCCUNN, of this City, and Judge PRINDLE, of Chenango County, to deny the right of the Senate to remove judicial officers for offenses committed previous to a re-election for a term not yet expired. We do not pretend to decide the soundness in law of such a demurrer, but it it be sound, the sooner the law is changed on the subject the better. The verdict of approval of a single judicial district is not, unfortunately, a guarantee of judicial purity, such as the people of the whole State can be expected to rest satisfied with.

The Senate is evidently prepared to disregard the factious opposition to the negotiation of the supplementary article of the Treaty of Washington. Its members have had time to estimate the prevailing tendency of public opinion on the subject, and they are only fulfilling their obvious duty in deciding in accordance with it. Senator SUMNER has disclaimed the presentation of the indirect claims as a demand for a pecuniary equivalent, and Senator THURMAN has spoken on behalf of all respectable Democrats in refusing to regard the question from a partisan standpoint. It looks as if there would now be no difficulty in securing the requisite two-thirds vote in favor of the supplementary article.

The National Working Men's Convention has at least as good a right to be considered a representative body, and its claims to respect are at least equally as great as the "Liberal" gathering at Cincinnati. At last night's session of the Convention, which was called for the purpose of nominating Presidential candidates, resolutions were passed recommending the Philadelphia Convention to place the name of Gen. GRANT at the head of the ticket, and to give Senator WILSON the second place. The candidacy of HORACE GREELEY was sustained by the five votes of the Missouri delegation only. More cold water for the Tammany candidate.

The South and the President at Election.

We presume that none but fanatics or demagogues are now ready to deny that the only hope of the South for peace and prosperity lies in giving a hearty accord to the results of the war. By this we do not mean a mere formal acceptance of the changes in the Constitution, nor a mere cessation from resistance to the civil and political equality of the late slaves; but a genuine determination to put the past absolutely away, and to live in steadfast harmony with the political purposes of the nation. The supreme importance of this condition of well-being is felt by every sensible man in the South, by every one really capable of advancing the interests of the community he lives in, and of performing adequately the part of a citizen in a free State. That there is a considerable number of active, resolute and influential men who have not yet reached this conclusion, is too true. Among them are many of those turbulent spirits, whose nature compels them to stir up strife and discontent, and whose favorite rôle is that of champions of the people in denouncing and resisting what they are pleased to regard as the lasting grievances of the South. Others are more sincere and disinterested, and honestly believe that the present condition of the Southern States constitutes a denial of freedom and justice, and should be changed by any means available, however violent or immediately injurious. Of this latter class, which does not include such vain and selfish mischief-makers as JEFFERSON DAVIS, we have no harsh criticism to make. They are setting themselves to hinder the prosperity of their country, and they are fostering a most dangerous feeling, which would only have to be carried to its extreme development to plunge the nation again into the horrors and suffering of a civil war. Still, they are the victims of a delusion, and their influence is to be counteracted by pointing out the errors into which they have fallen, and the disasters which their counsel invites.

The two things which the South needs—and it needs them both sorely—are capital to develop her immense resources, and local Governments of efficiency and integrity, to protect all who are or who may become citizens or residents in the full enjoyment of all their rights of person and property.

The question, therefore, for Southern people to ask themselves is, What course will best serve these ends? We have no hesitation in saying that whatever else may be necessary, the prime condition is the continued predominance in the National Government of a party unquestionably attached to the principles established by the war, and determined, wisely and temperately, but without compromise or abatement, to maintain them. We do not deny that the South has been grievously plagued by men professing to be Republicans, and supporting the Republican Party in the nation—ambitious, corrupt, unprincipled, reckless men. But it must be evident to every observant Southerner that the grasp of this class of men, both on their section and on the Republican Party, is much loosened, and that this result heartily gratifies the mass of Northern Republicans. They are falling, never again to rise. The immediate danger to the South does not arise from this direction, but from a different and almost opposite one. It comes from the possible dominance in that section of another set of men equally reckless, equally ambitious, and if not so mercenary, more likely to check the development of Southern enterprise, and to keep away from the Southern States all foreign or Northern capital. This class is represented by the leaders of the Ku-klux. Within the last five years they have done more to bind the load of comparative poverty on the shoulders of honest Southern men, they have actually depreciated Southern property, and made Southern investments more uninviting to capitalists than the greed of the "carpet-baggers," or the remorseless peculations of dishonest State officers. They are now scheming for a political foothold. They are flocking eagerly to the support of Mr. GREELEY, confident that in his plastic will and unsteady mind they can find effective instruments of their passion and their ambition. They will be largely represented at Baltimore, clamoring for the Cincinnati candidate, and greeting his nomination—if it be made—with the same battle "yell" that saluted SEYMOUR in '68, and which the Northern soldiers, who heard it on many fields, will never forget, and will not yet forgive. If Mr. GREELEY can be elected, these men will be strong in his counsels, and they will not be the less dangerous from the fact that they will find ready allies in the supple "carpet-baggers" whom they so recently denounced. Mr. GREELEY's election would be the signal in the South for one of the most dangerous and immoral of coalitions. We have seen its exact prototype in the alliance in this State between the Greeley faction and Tammany.

On the other hand, what does the Republican Party offer, with reference to the needs and prospects of the South? In the first place, it offers complete freedom to that section to care for itself—and that is, under the circumstances, a precious boon. It has just released from political disabilities all but an insignificant fraction of those who in times past have shown themselves capable of conducting the political affairs of the communities in which they live. If any proof were needed of the essential friendliness of the Republican Party toward the South, and of its desire to deal fairly with it, this act would supply such proof. In the next place, the Republican Party can be trusted to lend no ear to the counsels of violent men, to disregard the suggestions of passion from every source, and, by the active co-operation of the national Government, if that shall be necessary, to enforce that internal peace which is obviously the very first condition of prosperity. And in the next place, the Republican Party can guarantee absolutely, by the unquestionable pledge of solid achievement, a substantial national prosperity, in which the South can share, and without which prosperity for any section is impossible. It offers a spotless national credit, rapid reduction of taxation, security from unnecessary foreign wars, integrity of administration, a prudent and honorable financial policy—and in offering these positive benefits, it only promises to continue what it has already established.

We believe these facts will be recognized. They have already been brought to the attention of the South in the frank and powerful letters of Gens. LONGSTREET and MOSBY, and Prof. BENJ. S. EWELL. We cannot doubt—especially if the Democratic Convention should dissolve party ties, and leave the voters of the South to choose between two Republicans—that the better, and we think the larger, part of them will be found on the side of the Republican Party.

Another Witness.

When Senator FERRY was re-elected in Connecticut, the *Tribune* burst out into double leads and capitals—the usual resort of the "Forcible-Feebles," as DISRAELI has said—and proclaimed that the "Grant man" had been beaten. It "joyously contemplated" the spectacle, like a young lady. It can now "joyously contemplate" the letter written by Senator FERRY, and gush away over that—though it is far more likely to suppress it altogether, as not being sufficiently in the way of "news" for it to publish. It shouted with "joy" over BEAUREGARD's acceptance of the Cincinnati nominations, but it deliberately suppressed the very suggestive letters of Gen. LONGSTREET, Col. MOSBY, and Major EWELL. But this is "independent journalism" on the new model—garble or totally suppress any news which don't exactly suit you. At any rate, that is what the *Tribune* does every day.

Senator FERRY expresses the opinion that the chief questions now before the people relate to "our foreign relations and our domestic policy in matters of finance and revenue." In reference to these he says: "To entrust these great interests to an Administration made up and controlled by Mr. GREELEY would be mere Midsummer madness." "You and I," he says to his friend, "will continue in the old Republican track." The gentleman with the biggest brain in America can "put this in his pipe and smoke it."

Senator FERRY will not, after all, play the Democratic game. Perhaps he entertains the same views of the Democratic Party which "honest old HOMER" held until he went a-courting Democrats for their votes, and which he expressed not many months ago in the following clear and vigorous manner:

"A Democratic national triumph means a restoration to power of those who deserted their seats in Congress and their places under the last Democratic President, to plunge the country into the Red Sea of secession and rebellion. Though you name us inch thick, to this complexion you must come at last. The brain, the heart, the soul, of the present Democratic Party is the rebel element at the South, with its Northern allies and sympathizers. It is rebel at the core today, hardly able to reconcile the defeats of LEE, JOHNSTON, BRAGG, HOOD and FRICK, and the consequent downfall of its beloved Confederacy, with its traditional faith in Divine Providence. It would hail the election of a Democratic President in 1872 as a virtual reversal of the Appomattox surrender. It would come into power with the hate, the chagrin, the wrath, the mortification, of ten bitter years, to impel and guide its steps. It would devote itself to taking off or reducing tax after tax until the Treasury was deprived of the means of paying interest on the national debt, and would hail the tidings of national bankruptcy with unallowed gladness and unconcealed exultation. Whatever chastisements may be deserved by our national sins, we must hope that this disgrace and humiliation will be spared us."

Where Are Our Heroes?

Why is it that New-York, one of the richest cities in the world, whose inhabitants are in their households orderly and neat, and which is more advantageously placed than any other for cleanliness, should be one of the most disorderly and uncleanly places that Christian people have to dwell in? Its uncleanliness is owing in a great measure to Ring jobbery and corruption; but the disorder of its streets cannot justly be set down to that account in any great measure. For there was a time when New-York was clean; but there has never been a time within the memory of the present generation when it was orderly. Its streets, and particularly its side-walks, have always been kept in more or less confusion, have always been immediately full of nuisances of one kind or another, have always seemed to be held rather as the property of any individual who might happen to own or hire a piece of land fronting, or backing, on any one of them, than as the public highways of a municipality.

The truth of this remark is obvious to an observant man at any time, but it is even more apparent now than it is commonly. Of late years, the first week in May has always seen the beginning of the removal of many houses, for the erection of new ones; and this year there are more coming down than usual. The houses that are taken down are almost all of them in the oldest, and therefore the busiest, and most crowded parts of the City. It could not be otherwise; people do not, even in New-York, build houses for the pleasure of taking them down when they are new. It would seem, therefore, that in a country where the professed end and aim of government is the greatest good of the greatest number, there should be some law or ordinance that would protect the mass of the people as they pass through their own streets from the inconvenience, the physical annoyance, and the actual peril to which they may be exposed by the selfishness, the greed, or the mere carelessness of individuals who, for their pleasure or their profit, have determined to pull down their houses and build larger. Perhaps there is such a law or City ordinance; and if there is, so much the greater shame to us, for no one heeds it. Probably it has long been buried under the accumulated rubbish of the past. But, whatever the cause, the condition of our streets in this respect is a reproach upon our civilization and to our self-respect.

What justification, or what pretense of justification, is there for the use which individuals are daily allowed to make of our most public and frequented thoroughfares? They are monopolized for all sorts of private purposes. They are used as places of storage; the sidewalks are obstructed by carts and vans waiting for the discharge or the reception of goods; at night the streets are used as private stables. And now, all over the town, and particularly below Fourteenth-street, the streets are made noisome and perilous, and partly impassable, by beams, and bricks, and mortar. Generally, the person who thus takes possession of a public thoroughfare for his own profit, does do something to prevent such destruction of the lives and limbs of his fellow-citizens as is not absolutely necessary to his thrift. In most cases he generously sets up two old barrels on one side, and two on the other, of that part of the street which he means to appropriate, and across these he stretches two planks as warning and barrier; while to him they also act as a temporary fence against the public's intrusion upon its own property. And it must also be admitted that when he throws a particularly large beam, or dangerous mass of bricks and mortar from his house into the public street, a vociferous Irishman shouts out in a manner in itself rather alarming to ladies and nervous people in general. But this is about all that he does to show that it enters his head that other people have any rights at all in the matter. He obstructs the sidewalk and makes it useless; he fills the air around with brick-dust and lime-dust; he occupies half the carriage-way with a pile of second-hand brick, which sometimes falls, (as was the case in the Bowery the other day,) and makes that part of the street impassable; he digs a yawning chasm nearly as deep below the street as his house is to be above it, and over this and around it he throws carelessly a few beams; he makes his district in the darkness only; he sets his stone-cutters to finishing their work upon the sidewalk, chipping the stone into the faces and eyes of the passers by; he does all this, and more, and no one thinks of remonstrating with him.

We may be told that part of this is permitted by law and part by custom. So much the worse for the law and the custom. Both are bad. They are bad because all this interference with the rights of the public is needless. All these things can be done, and therefore should be done, in such a manner that although they would not be agreeable, they would cease to be public nuisances—that they would cease to put people's lives and limbs, and eyes and lungs in peril; that they would no longer so obstruct the side-walks that foot passengers, ladies and all, would be obliged to go out into the carriage-way, through the mud, around a pile of bricks, or else cross the street back and forth. Builders and pullers-down of houses should be compelled to keep their rubbish within the limits of their own property, or of a strong fence set up very closely around it, and not be allowed to fill the public street with rums and dust, and mortar, and heaps of old bricks and timber. It would, indeed, take a little more time and cost a little more money to build houses and pull them down, than it does to conduct those processes in what old Mr. Weller would call the present "permiscuous" manner. But civilization costs time and money, and is found to be worth the expenditure. Now, between civilization and barbarism, the chief and most essential difference is that the former recognizes a respect for the rights of others as the foundation of its social system, and uses all its power to enforce that respect upon those who would disregard it. Therefore it is that we began by saying that the condition of our streets is a reproach to our civilization.

The Sea and the Bath.

It would naturally be supposed that New-York, being surrounded on all sides by water, would be easily kept clean, and that unlimited bathing facilities would be afforded to its citizens. We all know that, in point of fact, it is one of the dirtiest cities in the Union, while the sole opportunities offered to bathers, outside of the tub and sponge of private life, are comprised in the two public bath-houses opened some two years since. During the coming Summer one of these is to be moored near the Battery, while the other will probably be placed further up-town. Inasmuch as fewer people live in the neighborhood of the Battery than in any other closely-built part of the City, it would seem as though the object of those who manage the public bath-houses is to discourage the public from using them. Certainly few men who live in Mackerelville will walk to the Battery to bathe, neither will there be an considerable rush of residents along the North River to the bath-house placed, we will suppose, at the foot of Grand-street.

Should we ever have proper facilities for bathing, they should be so arranged as to attract the favorable attention of the small boy. It is evident to the most careless observer that the average small boy is perpetually in need of the cleansing process of the bath, but that the effort to induce him to bathe in a legitimate manner is one full of difficulty. When the public bath-houses were first opened, he went to see them from motives of curiosity, but found them eminently unsuited to his peculiar tastes. The suggestive soap was placed where it conveyed to his irascible mind the idea that the managers of the bath-house fancied that he stood in need of a detergent. Then, too, the strange luxury of towels was offered to him, and when, ignorant or scornful of their legitimate use, he surreptitiously attempted to take them away with him, with a view to their conversion into more useful shapes, he was detained and subjected to uncomplimentary remarks by the bath attendants. The bath-house was to him a dull place, wholly devoid of the exhilarating excitement which alone could reconcile him to the use of water. There were no policemen to lay in wait for him, and warm him with the brisk switching of the little rattan as he emerged from his bath. There was wanting the pleading thrill of the announcement, "Hey, Jimmy! there's a car a' comin," which imperatively necessitated a sudden dive into watery obscurity; neither was there the opportunity of combining thrift with pleasure by purloining a comrade's clothes. Altogether, he found the bath-house a dull and decorous place, where he was expected to bathe for purposes of cleansing, rather than for the excitement of violating the law. So after one or two visits he shook the soap and towels of the bath-house from him, and returned to his former Midsummer delight of diving from pier-heads in defiance of decency, and without a thought of the unsought cleansing that might unavoidably attach to the process.

Now, though it is certainly something gained if the small boy is led, by whatever motive, to occasional bathing, still there are decided objections to his favorite sport of diving from pier-heads. There is a City ordinance which strictly prohibits this diversion, the justice of which is yearly becoming more evident, as the rivers become more and more crowded with ferry-boats. Toward the close of the day, when the passenger-boats which ply on either river are most thronged, the small boy, reduced to his simplest form, is inextricably mingled with the landscape along the shore. He yells from every pier-head, and shouts from every available boat or raft upon which he can temporarily climb. Ladies are thus unable to gaze with any peace of mind upon the green trees, the mossy rocks, and the painted medical advertisements that on either shore of the Hudson, above Thirty-eighth-street, proclaim the luxuriance of nature; nor can they gaze contentedly upon the breweries, the soap-boiling establishments, and the gas-tanks that on either shore of the City bear witness to the boldness and originality of our architects. The usual policemen, apparently force nothing for the law which the small boy breaks before his official eye, and meditatively switches him more as a solace for idle moments than in reprehension of the small boy's misdemeanors. The latter, therefore, bathes without interruptions, and, though he drowns himself to a considerable extent, his numbers continually increase. It is hard to deprive him of the only occasions on which he knows the external contact of water, but it is obviously undesirable that he should revive on every dock the naked sports of the ancient Greek ayres.

The true way to meet the difficulty would be to provide him with swimming-baths, stationed at half-mile distances—or even less—along the East and North Rivers. A solitary special policeman should be placed in bath-houses, to check the exuberance of the small boy's spirits when they might manifest themselves in an attempt to drown some other boy. Beyond this, no preparations for his comfort need be made. Towels he is accustomed to regard as the effeminate luxury of effete aristocracy, and soap he spurns with contempt. All he desires is a place where he can swim, without incurring the necessary reproach that he is weakly endeavoring to wash himself. Give him the facilities just named, and he will gladly accept them. When these resorts are provided for him, he can easily be driven from his beloved pier-heads, and a praiseworthy City ordinance enforced without the appearance of depriving him of a lawful recreation.

Who'll Buy?

The following significant paragraph appeared in the *Sun* of yesterday. It was printed in italics, and placed in a conspicuous part of the editorial page in order to attract attention:

"How much could the office-holders' faction be induced to pay to secure the success of GRANT by the nomination of a straight Democratic ticket?"

Mr. DANA has been engaged in so many little "commercial transactions" that he has now become bold enough to openly propose the sort of bargain which most corrupt men prefer to make in secret. It is hardly probable, however, that he will receive the bid which he so evidently covets. The difficulty is, that there is a general lack of confidence in his capacity to remain true to the terms of a contract—a lack of confidence based upon experience. Moreover, the friends of Gen. GRANT do not perceive the necessity of buying Mr. DANA. His opposition is of more value to reputable men than his open or covert support could be. His offer to induce the Democratic Convention to make an independent nomination may, however, meet the views of some of the Democratic leaders. Mr. TWEED is no longer in a position to purchase the columns of the *Sun*, but perhaps if Mr. DANA were to bring his present offer to the attention of the Democratic General Committee of this State, he might be able to make the bargain for which he so confidently advertises in the above paragraph.

MINOR TOPICS.

One of Mr. GREELEY's personal "organs" gives some interesting information about the perpetual candidate, without the slightest perception of the ludicrous. In the first place, it appears that the Tammany pet is being carefully dressed for his part. "Yielding to the *persuasion of his friends*, he has now laid aside his black hat for a white one." This poor little stage trick might make any other candidate ridiculous—but not so with HARRY GREEY's favorite. The same journal says that he visited its office last week, "and, in departing, left on all the circle the impression that his heart was as big as his head; and that his election would be like an apostolic benediction on the country." After that, let us hear no more of objections to the Tammany candidate's principles.

Last year we called attention to that most graceful of all civic charities, the Flower Mission, the object of which, as we then explained, is to supply the patients in our City hospitals with flowers. Since the Mission was first organized, a year or two ago, the happy inspiration of some of the young ladies connected with one of our up-town churches, its success has been encouraging. This year it is again in operation, and as many as a thousand tiny bouquets are sometimes distributed in a single day. Still, in an enterprise like this, there is always room for more extended effort, and since the Flower Mission relies entirely on voluntary contributions, we invoke for it the assistance of our readers. They have seldom, we are sure, an opportunity to confer a benefit so pleasurable to its recipient, and so inexpensive to the giver. To the young ladies who have devoted themselves to this charming work, and some of whom are daily in attendance at No. 341 Fourth-avenue, even a single blossom is not unwelcome, a discarded bouquet an inestimable treasure. A little thoughtfulness on the part of those to whom the luxury of flowers is too common to be rightly valued, will help to make happy many poor and suffering fellow-creatures, whose lives at best are not apt to be overburdened with luxuries of any sort. No one who has himself been sick, and who has then learned the refreshment and healing of "Nature's gentlest ministers," can refuse to listen to this appeal.

It will be remembered that at Christmas, 1870, the eldest son of Mr. WALTER, proprietor of the London *Times*, was drowned in the attempt to save the lives of others, the day after his return home from extensive travel in this country. It is now announced that Dr. DASENT, long one of the editors of the same journal, has lost his son, a young man of the highest promise, in a similar manner. He was drowned while bathing at Oxford, the day after he attained his twenty-third year. He was one of the most promising men of his day at Oxford, and his untimely fate has occasioned deep and general regret.

HENRI ROCHEFORT, Count DE LUCAY and Red Republican, descendant of the Crusaders and French Communist, has been shipped to the penal settlement of New-Caledonia. ROCHEFORT's career and character have been equally full of contradictions. He was trained at a Jesuit college, and he became known to fame by preaching revolution in politics and the negation of religion. Among his first literary efforts were some verses in glorification of the Virgin Mary, and the most widely-read productions of his matured intellect were full of coarse abuse of a woman whom any artist would be in danger of flogging if he painted. ROCHEFORT was the leading light of Bohemia, editor of an apparently Parisian (Communistic) journal in Brussels. Since that time he has been editor, legislator, Communist; has shaken the Empire and has troubled the Republic, and is now an exile once more from the country which could well have spared a better man. For, it will always be remembered of ROCHEFORT that he entered his solemn protest against the German war, when all Paris was mad for fresh glory, and that he vigorously remonstrated against the excesses of the Commune for which he has suffered.

It is announced that the "grand Liberal demonstration" which was to be held in Union-square on Tuesday next, has been postponed *sine die*. Stranger than the postponement itself, is the reason assigned for it, viz.: "the desire of certain representatives of the Apollo Hall Democrats, who promise to take part in the affair." The Greeleyites could surely have reckoned upon drawing a crowd by a liberal display of blue-fire, and with the rhetorical eloquence of Gen. JOHN COCHRANE to fall back upon, they might have fairly mourned the loss of holding it together. To make the convenience of Apollo Hall the indispensable preliminary to the meeting, surely involves a reflection upon the graceful oratory of the journalistic "genius," not to mention the personal magnetism of the transcendental TILTON. Does Mr. GREELEY expect to retain, for the campaign, the leather-lunged advocacy of Tom FOREPAUGH, Tammany's rival is to be honored in this preposterous fashion?

Twenty-two years ago the remains of LOUIS PHILIPPE, Ex-King of France, were laid in English ground, in the vault of the palace-chapel at Claremont. Twenty-six years before that LOUIS PHILIPPE—then Duke of ORLEANS—built a chapel in the old Castle of Dreux, which he intended for a family burying-place. The improbable happened when LOUIS PHILIPPE died exiled and forgotten, while the star of Prince-President LOUIS BONAPARTE was climbing toward empire. The improbable has happened again when, at the calls of LOUIS PHILIPPE brought the body of the Great Emperor from St. Helena to Paris, over thirty years ago. The Prince DE JOINVILLE will be now called upon to assist at a less imposing pageant than that which attended the interment of the conqueror of Austerlitz at the Invalides; but, having already seen three revolutions, two monarchies, one empire and two republics in France, he may find matter enough for reflection as the vault at Dreux closes upon all that remains of the Citizen King.

Pending a decision upon his case, we have no desire to weaken the defense made by Judge PRINDLE before the State Senate, yesterday. It would have been well, however, had the accused Judge abstained from doing this himself. A more wretched exhibition of bad taste could hardly be imagined than his reported declaration that some Senators might think him unfit for his office because he had declared his intention to vote for HORACE GREELEY. If this was a bid for Fenton influence, it was a very unprincipled way of mixing up with the issues of party politics one of those questions which it is the solemn duty of the Senate to decide apart from any such considerations. We cannot afford to have the purity of the Bench dragged in the mire because Mr. GREELEY is a candidate for the Presidency.

Is there no jail that can hold that professional thug and perpetual satire on our modern civilization—Reddy the Blacksmith? He has again got into the hands of the Police, and judging from previous experience, will probably escape be out of their hands again. So little faith have the citizens of New-York in the power of the Police to protect them against such ruffians, that the object of Reddy's last assault was afraid to make a complaint against him. If the public prosecutors had done their duty heretofore in regard to this man, he would be serving out a lengthened term in Sing Sing, instead of being the representative of a power above the law, at whose mercy we may find the lives and property of peaceable citizens some fine morning.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Tammany Candidate.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

For my part I can't see what Mr. GREELEY is after, unless it be to make himself President, which he, to appearances, expects to do by getting the support of Copperheads, Tammany Republicans, soreheads, rebels, and the devil and all—men who hate GRANT and the Republican Party for no other reason than that they whipped the rebels and put an end to the war, and hurt the Democratic Party.

The debt, had the war lasted four years longer, would have been so enormous that repudiation would have been inevitable. Then where would rich and poor men have been? My idea is that we owe to Gen. GRANT a debt of gratitude which should never be forgotten.

What does Mr. GREELEY propose to do, should he be elected? Why, just what GRANT has done—carry out the will of the people. Do the people think GREELEY can do it better than GRANT has done, with the material he will have, if elected, to back him? I think not. If the people think otherwise let them try it and see where they will land. For my part, when I have a good horse I don't care to swap him off for fear I may get cheated.

I am afraid friend GREELEY is becoming ambitious in his old age.

Now, Mr. Editor, I am no humbug. I can chop wood and raise cabbages and turnips to perfection, so please don't think it is only pretense to please the farmers. It is not so. I don't want to be President.

Yours, respectfully, AMBROSE G. FEASH.

N. B.—The farmers in these parts believe in Gen. GRANT and a plenty of good old barn-yard manure. They dont say of GREELEY and his highfurlutin notions. A. G. F.

SUFFIELD, Conn., Thursday, 23d May.

The Administration.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Permit me to congratulate you upon the superb success of your great journal in defending the ablest Administration we ever had, and which the people, the great American people, will undoubtedly indorse with an overwhelming majority at the next election. Let soreheads yell. It amounts to nothing. The great body of the people are not yet ready to give up the Government to Democrats, rebels, and their Liberal Republican sympathizers. I am especially pleased with your issue of May 17, the editorials of which, for vigor, style and effect, have never yet been equaled, certainly not surpassed. The manner in which you dispose of the three tailors of Tooley-street, and of "those congratulations," is simply overwhelming. Let the good work go on, you are able to demolish anything that can be brought against the great national Republican Party, and if the people do not sustain you, they are no longer worthy of Republican institutions.

Faithfully yours, MAX L. MAYER.

German Opera.

Three performances of opera are promised by the Maidee-Fabri troupe, who have leased the Academy of Music for to-night and two other evenings. To-night, "The Prophet" will be sung.

THE POLITICAL FIELD.

Response from the Colored People to Greeley's Nomination.

One of the Engineers of the Cincinnati Movement Defeated in Petersburg, Va.—Letter from Senator Ferry—Cold Comfort for Liberals.

GREELEY IN VIRGINIA.

The "Scalawag" Candidate for Mayor of Petersburg Beaten by Double the Usual Majority—The Colored Vote Solid Against the White-Coated Candidate.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PETERSBURG, Va., May 23.—C. B. RAINES, leader of the Greeley movement in Virginia, and delegate to Cincinnati, was today defeated for Mayor by the Republican candidate by double the usual majority—one thousand—on the direct issue. The colored men vote solid against GREELEY.

SENATOR FERRY.

His Position on National Politics—Through Endorsement of the Administration on International and Financial Questions.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

NEW-HAVEN, May 23.—The following letter from United States Senator O. S. FERRY to Hon. J. B. FORRIS, of Stamford, Conn., clearly defines his position on national questions, and will be found interesting just now:

WASHINGTON, May 16, 1872.

Hon. J. B. Forris, Stamford, Conn.:

MY DEAR SIR: I thank you for your congratulations. They are peculiarly gratifying from so old and valued a friend as yourself. I do not know why any one should misapprehend my political position on account of what has happened. I have never concealed my opinions. My record in the Senate is open to everybody. I believe as firmly as ever in the doctrines which I have advocated for the last sixteen years, ever since the Republican Party had a national existence. There are certain ideas, indeed, which have grown into prominence since the passage of the acts of reconstruction, in which I do not believe. I do not believe in the continuance of political disabilities after they have become a needless and mischievous irritation without a single good result. I do not believe in misnamed "Civil Rights" bills, subversive of local self-government and destructive of the school system of whole groups of States. I do not believe in the re-enactment of the Ku-Klux law, after it has expired by its own limitation and has accomplished all that was certainly hoped to be its purpose. The truth is, that since the adoption of the last three amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and the closing up of the war question, our foreign relations and our domestic policy in matters of finance and revenue are again assuming their natural prominence.

To intrust these great interests to an Administration made up and controlled by Mr. GREELEY would be mere Midsummer madness.

The Administration of the State Department during the last three years has preserved for the nation an honorable peace in midst of the most delicate and embarrassing complications, both with Great Britain and Spain, while that of the Treasury has redeemed the national public credit and promoted the business interests of the country. I do not appreciate the wisdom of those who, instead of all this, would press an untenable claim from England at the risk of war, would recognize the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents in contrary to every principle of international law, and would diminish permanently the specie reserves in the Federal Treasury to ten or twelve millions of dollars at whatever hazard to the public credit. There are other matters to which I might allude, but these are certainly enough. You and I will continue in the old Republican faith, let new questions arise we will think and act as our convictions of expediency and duty require, and always be hopeful for the future of our country.

Yours truly, O. S. FERRY.

THE CANVASS.

Gerritt Smith on the Political Situation.

The late Republican Convention, held at Elmira, placed at the head of the New-York delegation to the National Union Republican Convention the veteran, GERRITT SMITH. Being unable to attend the Convention, he has so advised his alternate, President WHITE, of the Cornell University, in the following letter, which is worthy of public attention. As the utterance of an unflinching Abolitionist of the old type, one whose integrity, patriotism and purity of character has caused him to be held in veneration by tens of thousands of people, it furnishes in a nutshell the political argument which today animates the Republican Party from one end of the country to the other. We fancy that no one will charge GERRITT SMITH with being an office-seeker, or the tool of an office-seeking faction:

LETTER FROM HON. GERRITT SMITH.

BABYLON, Long Island, May 18, 1872.

President White:

MY DEAR FRIEND: I see the great honor done me by the State Convention held at Elmira. Truly do I regard it as a great honor.

I am here with my sick wife, and for several reasons it is quite doubtful whether I shall get to Philadelphia. You, my alternate, will, I trust, not fail to be there.

The country cannot yet afford to have the Democratic Party come into power. But the success of either the Cincinnati or the Baltimore Conventions will be the success of that bad party.

The Philadelphia Convention will doubtless nominate President GRANT. The anti-slavery battle is not yet fought out, and, until it is, we shall need GRANT's continued leadership.

With great regard, yours,

GERRITT SMITH.

The Seventeenth Assembly District Republicans on the Cincinnati Nominees.

A crowded meeting of the Seventeenth Assembly District Republican Association was held last evening, at the West Fifteenth-street Church, Col. JOEL W. MASON in the chair. After the usual routine business had been disposed of, Mr. D. B. MELLISH offered the following resolution:

Whereas, Great confusion exists in the public mind as to which of the two conventions, called to meet at the World, is to be regarded as the organ and mouthpiece of the Democratic party, therefore

Resolved, That as disinterested (though avowed) spectators of the Greeley movement, we hold the *Tribune* for dictatorship of the Democratic policy, we venture to suggest to the leaders of the "Greeley Reform" party, that it is their duty, including Ben Wood, John Morrissey, Brennan, Genet, Creamer, Hall, Tweed and others, that they make for committees on this subject, and that they duly certify, determine and declare which of the Conventions above named shall be deemed and held to be the Democratic organ.

Mr. MELLISH said that the true secret of the New-York politics of the Cincinnati movement sought to go to the people. In the end the Cincinnati meeting fell into the hands of the New-York delegation, and was entirely controlled and managed by them, and such candidates as they recommended were put up. The object of those men was not to carry the Presidential election, but it was the same object that in 1868 nominated SEYMOUR, not to carry the election then, but to enable the New-York clique, the political wire-pullers, to run the whole Presidential campaign in their private interest, and enable them to get possession of New-York City and New-York State. And this game is to be played over again simply by using new names for figure-heads, their idea being, by putting up a New-York candidate for President, to split off voters from the Republican Party to enable the Democratic clique to get possession of the State, and also of the City, which they have now partially lost by the Controller stopping their plunder. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Mr. JOHN J. BARNEAU then offered the following resolutions:

Whereas, The Cincinnati Convention having nominated as their standard-bearer in the coming Presidential campaign the bondsman of the traitor JEFF. DAVIS, and

Whereas, The loyal people of the country do not think the time has yet arrived to reward traitors and their allies, therefore

Resolved, By the Republican Association of the Seventeenth Assembly District of New-York, that we have entire faith in the integrity and wisdom of our United States Grant, Gen. U. S. GRANT, and we have not forgotten Vicksburg and Appomattox, and we still love and honor the noble hand who carried our flag from victory to victory and saved the Republic.

Resolved, That we say to the rebel South now, as we said to them before, that we intend to fight it out on this line for four years more, and that the Republican Party of this district have no affiliation with fraternizing politicians, and have done, desire to compromise with the armed foes of our country.

Resolved, That we believe the nomination of HORACE GREELEY was made in the interest of the Democratic Party, and as we are for Reform, we do not participate in it in any way. Tammany Hall, the Bourbon Democracy, and the Copperheads are welcome to GREELEY, and we wish them joy of their bargain.

Resolved, That the GRANT REFORM PARTY, if they wished a man who (as Governor) cannot control his own State and stop murders, and would not be able to do so with the nation, should have nominated Governor GEORGE WASHINGTON.

Resolved, That this Association, recognizing the ability, patriotism and fearless probity in the worthy President, Col. JOEL W. MASON, are proud to know that he will represent this district at the Philadelphia Convention, and we respectfully request him to use his best efforts for the nomination, as a candidate for re-election, of the honest soldier, Gen. U. S. GRANT, believing him entitled to our confidence, respect and continued support.

These resolutions were adopted. Col. JOEL W. MASON and Mr. PHILIP SWARTS were then elected as delegates to the Republican Central Committee in the place of J. B. Forrest and A. WASSERMEIER, resigned. The meeting afterward adjourned.

SOUTH CAROLINA POLITICS.

Gen. Kershaw Opposes Sending Delegates to Baltimore—His Reasons for Advising Inaction.

The following letter, from Gen. J. B. KERSHAW, is published in the Columbia *South Carolinian*:

CAMDEN, S. C., May 14, 1872.

MY DEAR SIR: I am in receipt of your valued favor, and gladly avail myself of the opportunity you afford me of expressing my views of the proper policy to be pursued by our people in the present emergency.

I consent at once that it is our duty to seek the rescue of the State from ruin and bankruptcy, and of this consequent expatriation of many of her best people. Our action in general politics should be controlled by this prime necessity. If we can promote the establishment of a better Government at Washington, it is our duty to do so, chiefly because it will relieve our people from Federal oppression and check the miracle of the State's prosperity now emboldened by the countenance and supposed sympathy of the General Government. If, however, our participation in the Presidential canvass will at all impair our power to wrest the State from the plunderers who now control her destinies, we should carefully refrain from it. I believe it is in the power, and it is our duty, to lay aside all party preferences, and, as citizens of South Carolina, seek her rescue from further ruin and degradation, as a man would fight the fire around his own domicil before joining his neighbors to arrest a general fire in the woods. If there is any hope of a present improvement in the State Government, it is to be reached from a reform movement within the Republican Party. From indications already observed, I am not without hope that such a movement will be developed, and that it may assume such proportions as that it may be made to succeed by judicious co-operation on our part. Should the Republican Convention happen to place no name before persons promising an honest administration, and having the confidence of our people, the conquest will be less difficult of achievement; but in any event, our assistance, to avail anything, must be cautiously, quietly and astutely employed.

If we avoid any organization of our people for any political purpose whatever—if we refrain from antagonizing the Republicans of this State on party questions—if we avoid all irritating collisions with the colored people and pursue a policy of conciliation—we may secure such a participation in the affairs of the State as will arrest her impending ruin. This course, to my mind, offers the only present prospect of relief. If this fail us, it will little matter what policy we pursue. I trust in God that our people will do nothing to hinder the possibility of any such movement, however tempted by alluring hopes or just resentment. I have spoken thus freely, because I have presumed we should take no part in the Presidential election. The dominant party would yield nothing to those who oppose their party nominee for President. In yielding this, we in fact yield nothing but a sentiment. The nominee of the Cincinnati Convention got the vote of South Carolina whether we oppose him or not, and all the more certainly if and because we do oppose him.

It we refrain from taking our fruitless part in the contest, should the Republicans succeed we will have no pretext for giving any pretext to the coming Administration further to oppress and to persecute our people, and our wise moderation will have disarmed much of that prejudice which excludes us from participation in the public affairs of the State. Without such participation it is vain to hope for any relief. On the other hand, none of the benefits to result from the defeat of the Republican nominee for President can be averted by the course I have indicated. The Conservatives, if successful, must shape their general policy in accordance with the principles they have announced, and must select for Federal office honest and competent men, whatever may be the course pursued by our people in the election. We have, therefore, everything to gain and nothing to lose by non-action.

I do not think we are in a condition just now to throw up our hats for anybody for President, and consider it unwise in a people situated as we are, to delude ourselves into the belief that we can make of our affairs a fashionable or any such amusement. Let us have nothing to do with this political game until we can strike with effect. If the Liberal Republicans organize in this State, let them do it. If they do not, certainly our people could have no reason to organize for the support of Mr. GREELEY, unless they desired to make his defeat in this State doubly secure. The same reasoning would apply much more conclusively against the organization of the Democratic Party. In my judgment, we would commit a fatal blunder even to send delegates from this State to the Democratic Convention. They would represent a constituency who could not possibly elect even one elector, and whose support would damage the cause they advocate. But, while powerless for good, such action would have a capacity for evil fatal to all our hopes of relief within the State. Nothing conceivable within the range of probabilities could so damage us politically as the revival at this time of the Democratic Party of this State.

One other point. If GRANT be the nominee of the Republicans, he will have a greater power for good or for evil to our unhappy people than any other person or party. It is perhaps hopeless to conciliate, but, in view of his possible election, it would be suicidal to exasperate him by a vain and fruitless opposition. The last consideration you may dismiss as unworthy a freeman. But we remember we are not a free people. While it might be dastardly to sacrifice our political conduct to be controlled by the fear of personal consequences, the welfare of the people is the noblest motives of the statesman.

Sidney pesnit supremum lex. Very truly yours,

J. B. KERSHAW.

Hon. SIMSON FAIR, Columbia, S. C.

Richmond Municipal Election.

RICHMOND, Va., May 23.—There is every indication that the municipal election here today has resulted in large majorities for the whole conservative ticket. The Republicans had no regular ticket, but generally supported the independent candidates.

POLITICAL NOTES.

A Pennsylvania Democratic paper wishes ALLEN G. THURMAN and JOHN QUINCY ADAMS nominated at Baltimore.

GREELEY's opposition to National aid in reconstructing the Mississippi levees is swamping his little party in Louisiana.

The Chicago *Times* asserts that in that city not a dozen well-known Republicans can be found who have pronounced for GREELEY.

Republican opponents of GARFIELD, in Washington Territory, threaten to make an independent nomination for delegate to Congress.

The Temperance Reform Clubs of Maine will hold a delegate convention in Augusta, on Wednesday, June 5, to form a State organization.

Hon. JOHN A. BINGHAM, of Ohio, has written home that he "does not feel at liberty" to refuse the use of his name for re-election to Congress.

The Democratic caucus at Springfield, Mass., Wednesday, elected Greeley delegates to the Tenth Congressional District Democratic Convention, to be held at Chester today.

It is now said that Ex-Gov. SEYMOUR's letter to Sunset Cox merely discussed the possibility of Mr. GREELEY's nomination at Baltimore, and in no wise favored such action.

Gen. GEORGE W. CASS indignantly denies that he had anything to do with the Railroad Compensation bill which Gen. NEGLEY introduced in the National House of Representatives.

It is not true, as the *Tribune* asserted, that Col. WILLIAM F. RAMSEY, one of the two delegates elected to represent Montana in the Philadelphia Convention, supports the Cincinnati movement.

Major DELA HUNT, of the Cannelton (Ind.) *Reporter*, died recently, and his wife became its editor. He had made it a strong Democratic paper, but under her management it is now uncompromisingly for GRANT.

At the Ninth District Republican Convention, held at Greenfield, Mass., Wednesday, OTIS T. BUGGLES, of Fitchburg, and H. G. KNIGHT, of East Hampton, were chosen delegates to the Philadelphia Convention.

An active Greeley man, who canvassed a carriage manufactory in Williamsport, Penn., the other day, was discussed at the results of the vote. It stood: For GRANT, 36; for a straight Democrat, 1; for GREELEY, 0.

The Union League of Philadelphia held a meeting Wednesday evening to take action in regard to the coming campaign. Resolutions were adopted indorsing President GRANT, and a committee of twenty-five were authorized to conduct the campaign.

President GRANT was formally welcomed to Elkton, Md., by the citizens, irrespective of party, on Monday, Hon. ALEXANDER EVANS being Chairman of the Committee. The reception took place at the Town Hall, where the citizens were presented to the President by Mr. CRESWELL; assisted by Mr. EVANS, Dr. ELLIS, Mr. OLIVER and other gentlemen composing the Committee. The Elkton Cornet Band was stationed in front of the hall.

The Bangor (Me.) *Whig*, says Mr. GREELEY's "congratulations" from that city came from Hon. WM. H. MCGILLICUDDY, an able, active and prominent Democrat for the past eight years, dating from or about the time of his failure to receive the Republican nomination for Congress."

The Sixth District Republican Convention, held in Court-house, Mass., yesterday, elected E. F. NORTON, of Charlestown, and WM. E. BLUNT, of Haverhill, delegates to the Philadelphia Convention, and expressed a preference for GRANT and WILSON for the Presidential ticket.

There are two BRICKERHOFFS in Ohio, a Judge and a Greeley. The latter says in a recent letter that the Liberal Republican Party with GREELEY as its standard-bearer, is essentially a free-trade Party, and he advises free-traders and Democrats cordially to unite in its support. The Judge, on the other hand, regards the Cincinnati Convention as a farce, looks upon the ticket as a fraud, and says he will stay at home on election day rather than vote it.

Alluding to the President's letter, read at the civil right's meeting in Washington, FREDERICK DOUGLASS says in the *New National Era*: "We entirely misapprehend the character of the colored citizens, North and South, if they do not accept this letter as the fullest assurance that so far as Gen. GRANT is concerned, we are certain to have their just and equal rights, whenever those rights can be secured to them by law. ABRAHAM LINCOLN said and did many good things while he was President of the United States, but nothing like this letter came to colored man even from him."

Several prominent Germans of Indiana have signed an address to the Germans of that State, in which they explain the reasons why they cannot longer act with those who controlled and perverted the Cincinnati Convention. They say: "After careful consideration we have decided for ourselves that we will not dissolve our association with our former Republican comrades in battle; that we will attack the abuses which have appeared, and advocate Reform which seem to be demanded, and to be in accordance with the spirit of the times within the organization of the Republican Party. And we appeal to our German fellow-citizens of Indiana to weigh our words and motives, and if they coincide with the justice or our cause, to stand with us in this and all future contests."

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

SENATE.—WASHINGTON, Thursday, May 23.

Mr. HARLAN's resolution to expel the reporter for the Associated Press was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

JUDICIAL BILLS.

Mr. TRUMBULL, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported without amendment the House bills to repeal the requirement for the iron-clad oath of office, and relating to new trials in the Court of Claims, and the Senate bill to refund taxes paid by State Judicial officers on their salaries; also, adverse, if a number of bills creating new judicial districts, and Gen. GRANT's resolution in relation to testify in their own behalf in the United States Courts.

Mr. CARPENTER, from the same Committee, reported, without amendment, the House bill to authorize the appointment of Deputy Clerks of the United States Courts; also, with amendment, the bill for the allowance of expenses of United States Marshals in executing the Ku-Klux enforcement act.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

Mr. SPRAGUE, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported, without amendment, the bill to authorize the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas Railroad Company to construct a tunnel under Capitol Hill, to connect with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

FINANCIALISTS.

Mr. DAWES, of West Virginia, introduced a bill to remove the legal and political disabilities of CHARLES J. FAULKNER, of West Virginia. Referred.

Mr. HILL introduced a bill to remove the political disabilities of certain citizens of Georgia. Referred.

INDIAN DEPREDATIONS IN TEXAS.

Mr. CORBETT called up the bill to authorize the adjusting of the claims of Oregon for expenses incurred in Indian hostilities in 1855 and 1856, which was discussed and laid over.

The Senate, on motion of Mr. CAMERON, went into Executive session.

The Senate at 5:10 adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The Senate amendments to the House bill for the duplication of United States bonds defaced or destroyed, were concurred in.

BILLS PASSED.

Mr. TOWNSEND of Pennsylvania from the Committee on Public Lands, reported a bill creating the Trustees of the Fisk University, three acres of land in the suburbs of Nashville, Tenn. Passed.

Mr. Mr. LAWLEY, from the same Committee, reported a bill granting 2,560 acres of land to Carson City, Nevada. Passed.

A FULL HOUSE.

A message was received from the President, announcing that he had approved and signed the Amnesty bill. Thereupon Mr. HOGANS, member elect from North Carolina, noticed that he had signed the bill, was sworn in, and Mr. HOAR remarked that the House was now full, with every State and district represented.

CIVIL APPROPRIATIONS.

The House then, at 11¾, went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. DAWES in the chair, on the sundry Civil Appropriation bill.

Mr. COBURN offered an amendment to pay $1,800 for a transcript of the Beach Court-martial proceedings, and, in connection with it, spoke of his having taken the ground in the Military Committee not to take verbal testimony as to the contents of the missing record. For this reason, he said, a hired slanderer in the New-York *Tribune* had stated that he (COBURN) was opposed to the admission of the testimony of the reporter of that Court. Such statements were simply and absolutely false. A hired slanderer had said that he (COBURN) was compelled by a vote of the Committee to send for that reporter. Mr. REED PITMAN. That was false. There had been no such vote. Mr. COBURN. The reporter. Immediately on his making out that Mr. PITMAN had possession of the notes of that Court he sent for him, without the request of anybody, without any action of the Committee. He (COBURN) had not lied or uttered and abominably false the report published by a hired slanderer who occupied a seat in the reporter's gallery, and who had once been a clerk of the Military Committee. He had been dismissed by examination in Committee, falsehood; had lied from unbridled, and his only object now in making this statement was to show that the Committee, as well as himself, had been wronged by the liar, in spite of getting at the truth and all the truth in the matter.

Mr. TOWNSEND, of New-York, asked why that clerk had been discharged.

Mr. COBURN. Because that he had been discharged for various reasons. One was because he was in disharmony with a majority of the Committee. Another was that he was a poor clerk, and that he had kept no record of the minutes of the Committee.

Mr. MAYNARD suggested that committees ought not to be called upon in this indirect manner to give reasons for the appointment or discharge of their clerks.

Mr. COBURN repeated that there had been no minutes or copies of letters kept for the Committee.

Mr. BROOMS remarked that that had not been stated until after the Cincinnati convention. [Laughter.]

Mr. COBURN replied that he had not found it out before. [Laughter.] There was another good reason for his discharge. The New-York *Tribune* some days before had stated that he continued to act as editor had charged that he (COBURN) had been guilty of a gross violation of the rules of the civil service, because he had discharged an old and faithful clerk. He said he had not in point of fact discharged an old and faithful clerk. He did know what was the young man, a Mr. ST. CLAIR, a brother-in-law of the clerk, who got $3 a day for his services, while the clerk got $2. If that was a specimen of Mr. GREELEY's civil service reform, he wished it so understood.

A MEMBER—How was that?

Mr. COBURN—This young man was a clerk of the clerk's.

Mr. MAYNARD—Do I understand that the clerk farmed out his office.

Mr. COBURN—I do not know about that. I am stating the fact that I was forced to turning out "or employing a deputy," or anything else.

Mr. GARFIELD said he had not intended saying anything on the amendment, as he had been instructed by the Committee on Appropriations to do so, but he felt compelled, as a matter of justice to the gentleman concerned, (Mr. SHELLEY,) to say that for a period of two years, under the Chairmanship of Gen. SCHENCK and Gen. GARFIELD, (Laughter,) he was Chairman of that Committee, that the gentleman had been a faithful, intelligent and honorable clerk, and he had never before heard anything to the contrary. A few days before the Cincinnati Democratic Convention, it seemed to have been discovered all at once that that gentleman was an unfaithful and inefficient clerk, and he was given notice to quit. He (GARFIELD) had not been consulted in any way in transact public matters; he did not believe that it was quite wise for the Republican Party to begin to put off heads on an occasion of this sort. If that was the gentleman's (COBURN) view of propriety, he might have his opinion, but he (GARFIELD) had his.

Mr. ALLEN, of Illinois, a member of the Committee on Military Affairs, bore his testimony to the fidelity, ability and worth of the clerk.

Mr. COBURN remarked that he had desired, he as far and kindly as manner as possible, to let this man off. [Laughter.] But his object was defeated—the matter was made public. He asked any one to look at the records of the Committee, and say whether it had a faithful efficient clerk.

Mr. DAWES. When did you discover that?

Mr. COBURN—Some time since. [Laughter.] He made no personal attack on the character or integrity or wording of this young man, but he would simply say that, in a business point of view, he was worthless as a clerk. He had spent most of his time as a reporter for the *Tribune* on the floor of the House and in the gallery. Mr. GREELEY had said in the paper that he could afford to pay him as much as Congress could, but that was just where the shoe pinched, and that was why, day after day and week after week, himself and the Committee were disappointed. The *Tribune* had now to pay a man full pay for a day's work. That was civil service reform, he supposed. It was according to the rules that every employee should pay a full day's pay for a full day's work.

The amendment offered by Mr. COBURN was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. STARKWEATHER, after a long discussion, the appropriation for the Naval Station at New-London, Conn., was increased from $5,000 to $20,000.

On motion of Mr. GARFIELD, an appropriation of $104,000 was made to pay the officers and crew of the Kearsarge by way of prize money, for the destruction of the Alabama. Also, an appropriation of $15,000 for a pneumatic tube between the Capitol and the Government Printing Office. Also, an appropriation of $20,000 for the expense of recharges.

Also, an appropriation of $200,000 to pay the unsettled claims for carrying the mails in the Southern States.

On motion of Mr. PERCE it was ordered that in the payment of cotton claims the internal revenue tax on cotton shall not be deducted.

The Committee then rose, and the bill, as reported from the Committee of the Whole, was passed under a suspension of the rules.

The House then, at 5:50, took a recess until 7¾, the evening session to be for the business of the Committee on Naval Affairs.

At the evening session no business of importance was transacted.

LABOR.

Progress of the Eight-Hour Movement in This City.

Several New Strikes—The Piano-Makers and Others in Them—The Employers are Yielding.

RENOMINATED.

The Working Men's National Convention—President Grant and Senator Wilson Their Choice.

Pursuant to an appeal from the "Working Men's Central Union of the State of New-York," inviting the working men's associations throughout the United States to send properly accredited delegates to the National Working Men's Convention, to be held in this City on the 22d inst., for the purpose of nominating candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States, delegates from thirty-one States and Territories assembled at No. 17 West Fourth-street, yesterday and last evening, in Convention, for the purpose named.

The Convention was called to order at 3:30 o'clock P. M. by Col. MAX HOFMOND, of New-Jersey, and on motion of Mr. Thomas F. Leahy, of New-York, Col. Hofmond was elected temporary Chairman, William B. Haley, of Connecticut, was elected temporary Secretary, Messrs. H. P. Donohue, of Wisconsin, Isaac E. Brown, of Pennsylvania, and John Bender, of Massachusetts, were elected conditional Secretaries. A committee consisting of one from each State and Territory was appointed on permanent organization, and a similar committee on credentials; and one in like manner on credentials. At roll call the following representation appeared with credentials: New-York, 15; New-Jersey, 14; Delaware, 3; Pennsylvania, 15; Maine, 4; New-Hampshire, 3; Vermont, 2; Massachusetts, 9; Rhode Island, 2; Connecticut, 10; California, 4; District of Columbia, 2; Georgia, 3; Florida, 4; Illinois, 10; Indiana, 11; Iowa, 6; Kansas, 3; Maryland, 6; Michigan, 5; Mississippi, 3; Minnesota, 3; Oregon, 4; Ohio, 9; Texas, 3; Virginia, 9; Wisconsin, 5; Montana, 3; Dakota Territory, 3; Missouri, 5. Letters were received from Alabama, Kentucky, Louisiana, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, West Virginia, Colorado, Idaho, Nevada and Nebraska.

The Committee on Permanent Organization reported the following as officers of the Convention: George W. Gibbons, of New-York, Chairman; Max Hofmond, of New-Jersey; Thomas F. Geary, of New-York; Wm. B. Haley, E. P. Dunbar, of Wisconsin, and George W. Roche, of Georgia, Secretaries.

Col. GIBBONS, on taking the chair, thanked the Convention for the honor conferred on him, stubbed the Grant's resolution in regard to the Eight-hour law, he reviewed his policy, and said that he was the only man who could be trusted by the working classes.

The Committee on Resolutions reported a series embodying as the principal points of the action of the Convention: The reduction of the national debt, and the unconditional settlement of the Alabama claims; the enforcement of the Eight-hour law throughout the United States, and other laws benefiting the working classes; a low rate of interest as a common national law; the encouragement of ship-building, giving the United States mails exclusively to American built ships, and the duty of sympathizing with other nations struggling against oppression.

Mr. F. M. MCGEE, of New-York, recommended the nomination of Gen. U. S. GRANT for President of the United States by the Philadelphia Convention.

California then nominated Senator HENRY WILSON, of Massachusetts, for Vice-President; Delaware nominated EDWIN D. MORGAN, of New-York, and Maine nominated SCHUYLER COLFAX.

The ballot stood as follows: WILSON, 150; MORGAN, 87; COLFAX, 34. WILSON's nomination was made unanimous.

The Committee on Address and Financial Committee to carry out the plans and purposes of the organization was referred to the Committee on Organization.

A committee was appointed to notify Gen. GRANT and Senator WILSON of their nomination.

The Committee on Organization reported that they could not agree upon a national Committee, but reported that the Working Men's Central Union of New-York State Central Committee should act as such National Committee until such time as one could be decided upon. A committee was appointed to draw up an address to the Working Men of the United States, defining the position of the Convention in regard to the coming campaign. A motion was adopted to call a grand ratification meeting, to be held at Cooper Institute, to indorse the action of the Convention, and that organizations of individuals and organizations be invited to participate. A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. GIBBONS, Chairman of the Convention, after which the Convention adjourned to 8 o'clock P. M., to sit in secret session.

The evening session was occupied in discussing matters in reference to the present strike among the working men, without taking any definite action.

The following dispatch was sent to Gen. GRANT:

U. S. Grant, White House, Washington, D. C.

I have the honor and pleasure to inform you that the Working Men's Central Union Nominating Convention have just nominated you for President of the United States for another term, out of gratitude for your recent action in regard to labor reform, and in confidence that in the future you will faithfully keep the promises you have made to us. The baleful power held by the working men will secure your re-election.

GEO. W. GIBBONS, Chairman.

TO SENATOR WILSON.

Hon. Henry Wilson, Washington Hotel, Washington, D. C.:

The Working Men's Central Union, now in convention, have just nominated the great labor reformer for Vice-President of the United States, subject to approval of the Philadelphia Convention. All hail to President Grant and Vice-President Wilson!

GEO. W. GIBBONS, Chairman.

The Car-Builders to Strike.

The car-builders connected with the shops of the various lines of City railroads met last evening at Dilge's, in Third-avenue, and organized by the election of DANIEL KISSELL, President; JAS. TALBRIDGE, Vice-President; B. E. RACE, Secretary, and JAS. CRIDDY, Treasurer. After taking the chair the President stated that the meeting was called with a view to discuss the question of striking for eight hours. He would therefore like to know what was the sense of the meeting. A motion was made that a strike for eight hours be initiated. On the motion Mr. A. J. BELTON made some very sensible remarks, advocating a careful understanding of the matter before rushing into a strike, simply because other trades had done so, and with success. He spoke of the strike of the building trades, and said they had a better right to eight hours than the car-builders, as the latter worked in a shop and were not affected by the weather, while the builders should stop work in case of bad weather, and had to work under a hot sun. He also said that it would be very easy for the employers to get the cars built outside of the City, and offered as an amendment that they work nine hours.

The original motion was however carried, and it was decided that each shop should appoint its own committee to wait on the superintendents. Messrs. MOSS and KELLY, of the Carpenter's Union, who were present, spoke in favor of the movement, and said they would have the sympathy and aid of their society.

The Cabinet-Makers', Wood-Carvers', and Upholsterers' Strike.

The Committee of the German cabinet-makers, wood-carvers, and upholsterers was in session yesterday at head-quarters, at the Teutonia Assembly Rooms, in Third-avenue, continuing to receive reports of additional results of the strike, and dispatching large committees to encourage others to join in the great eight-hour movement. But the strike was, as heretofore, continued as peacefully as possible. At the close of the Committee's meeting yesterday, at 6 P. M., reports from nearly two dozen additional establishments had been received, stating that the firms had accepted the terms of the men. The following is a complete list of these additional firms:

Eckart, Attorney-street; R. Friedrich, Wooster-street; Solomon, Mercer-street; Hermann Herse & Co., Bowery; Landau, Ludlow-street; Mattern, Attorney-street; Lothringer Bleamer, Schneider, Stanton-street; Wittle, Norfolk-street; Grill, Wooster-street; F. Grafe, First-street; Collander, Cavanagh & Decker, Fuchs Bros., Mercer-street; G. Mueller, West Twenty-fifth-street; Hooker & Knoth, Tuesday, Ludlow-street; Bartholemma, Clinton-street; Braunsberg, Houston-street; Herrmann, Fourteenth-street; Schedler, Twenty-eighth street.

Meetings en masse by the men were held twice during the day, when the prospects of the strike were discussed in an enthusiastic manner. It was reported that the men employed in Williamsburg, numbering over one thousand, had struck. In this City some ninety firms have agreed to the terms of the men. The latter are gradually resuming their employment. It is expected that the strikes will be brought to a close on Saturday.

Strike of the German Painters.

In pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting the night previous, the German house-painters yesterday struck for the eight-hour reform. The employers were visited by committees appointed for that purpose, and a Committee for the management of the strike, composed of WM. HOERNIG, A. SCHAEFFER, JACOB BRUNNER and CHAS. GASSBERGER was permanently in session at No. 84 Avenue A to receive reports. The result of yesterday's operations was that ten heavy employing firms acceded to the proposed terms, and it is expected that the rest will yield today.

The Show-Case Makers and the Carriage-Makers.

The show-case makers, numbering ninety, and the desk-makers, numbering about eighty, all being Germans, according to a resolution passed the day previous, struck for the eight-hour reform yesterday, but they found comparatively little resistance, and they expect to be through it in a few days.

In the case of the show-case makers, six of the firms out of ten promptly acceded to the demands of the men, and a similar success was reported by the desk-makers. The same are the same as those of the cabinet-makers. The carriage-makers, it was reported yesterday, will probably join in the strike for the eight-hour reform on Monday.

Strike of the Piano-Forte Makers.

The piano-forte makers organized a meeting at the Germania Assembly Rooms, on the Bowery, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of striking for the eight-hour system, and an advance of twenty per cent on piece-work. HENRY SCHMIDT presided. About 600 workmen gathered at the meeting, but as there was not the same understanding with regard to the time and manner in which to hold the meeting in the Teutonic Assembly Rooms, on Third-avenue, as in the City, the meeting in the evening. Previous to the adjournment, delegations were sent to the piano-forte manufactories scattered throughout the City, to urge the men to leave work and join the strikers. There are about 4,000 men employed as piano-forte makers, and it is probable that nearly all of them will join the strikers. The manufacturers will probably accede to their demands readily, as the large stocks of pianos held by them will be advanced in value fully twenty per cent.

HALLET & CUMSTON employ about 400, HALLE 150, HAINES BROS. 400, WEBER 450, STEINWAY 1,000, and other lesser firms in proportion to the extent of their business.

At the evening meeting the attendance was very large, and the spirit manifested was in perfect harmony with the general eight-hour movement of the working men throughout the City. The piano-forte makers will first see whether the employers will not concede the eight-hour rule without any coercive demonstration. If they do not then they will quit work. It was reported that the strike in Brooklyn, early in the morning, was successful, and a meeting was held yesterday morning, when the plan of the campaign will be fully determined upon unless it should be rendered unnecessary by a favorable action on the part of the employers before that time.

A delegation of cotton-makers came in and expressed their sympathy with the movement.

The Sash and Blind Makers.

The Sash and Blind Makers held another meeting last night, at Military Hall, Bowery, and discussed matters relative to the strike. Much progress is reported favorably with them, with a prospect of a speedy and satisfactory adjustment of their demands.

INDEPENDENT JOURNALISM.

The Tribune Suppresses Robeson's Vindication.

The present editor of the *Tribune* recently delivered a lecture upon journalism in which he complained that unprincipled newspapers, among which of course the *Tribune* could never be classed, are accustomed to "distort the news to suit their own views." Also, he drew a delightful picture of ideal independent journalism, in which he asserted there would be "no end of concealments, because the truth would hurt the party; no end of one-sided expositions, because damaging things must only be allowed against our antagonists; no end of results that are not believed fully just, but must be made because the exigency of party warfare demands them; no end of slanders that are known to be slanders, but must not be exploded because it would hurt the party; no end of hesitation to print the news in a newspaper because it may hurt the party."

The *Tribune* is latterly never weary of proclaiming that it is an "independent journal," and yet it systematically violates the definition given by its present editor of what an independent journal should be. It has for a long time willfully suppressed news of great importance, whenever by so doing it fancied that Mr. GREELEY's Presidential prospects could be improved. The *Times* recently published a list of several of the most conspicuous instances in which the *Tribune* had thus suppressed news of public interest, and to this list might now be added its recent suppression of the letters of LONGSTREET, EWELL and MOSBY—those Confederate soldiers who do not support Mr. GREELEY's claims. At the same time the *Tribune* has exultingly printed reports that BEAUREGARD and DICK TAYLOR are in favor of the Cincinnati movement, thus showing that political news is admitted to its columns only when it can be used to promote its own political chances.

But the most shameless instance of distorting news, and "of concealments because the truth would hurt the party," is the *Tribune's* suppression of the report of the Committee exonerating Secretary ROBESON. For months Mr. CHARLES A. DANA had accused Mr. ROBESON of having stolen over a million of dollars; had denounced him as a thief and a robber, and had asked for an opportunity to prove his charges. A full and fair opportunity was given to him, and he failed to substantiate a single charge. The report of the Investigating Committee completely exonerated Mr. ROBESON, and showed Mr. DANA to be a reckless and shameless libeler. Will it be believed that the *Tribune*, merely because Mr. DANA now supports Mr. GREELEY's candidacy, deliberately suppressed a large part of the Committee's report, in which it was asserted that not the slightest evidence against Mr. ROBESON had been produced, and selected for publication only those parts which were least humiliating to the author of the libels on an honest public officer? The parts of the report thus suppressed are published below, and our readers can judge how closely the practice of the *Tribune's* editor corresponds to the precepts he proclaims from the desk of the lecture-room, and how much respect is due to the *Tribune's* claim to be an "independent journal."

THE PART OF THE REPORT THAT THE TRIBUNE SUPPRESSED—DANA'S RETREAT.

The Committee say, with a view to the prompt investigation of these charges, CHARLES A. DANA, the editor of the New-York *Sun*, was invited to attend the sessions of the Committee, with counsel, to conduct the investigation in his own way, and have the utmost latitude in the production of papers and the examination of witnesses upon all matters relating to the Navy Department, until he seized upon the temporary absence of the Chairman of the Committee to protest to abandon the investigation. This he was however, not allowed to do without a personal examination upon oath at the request of the officer charged, when he disclosed the fact that he had neither any knowledge nor any reliable information upon which any of the articles in his paper could be founded. The report says the Committee do not deem it necessary to encumber the report with a detailed reference to the testimony relating to the assaults on the personal character of the Secretary and the integ

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

At the Exchange, yesterday, (Thursday, May 23) THOS. H. WILLIS, by order of the Supreme Court in Bankruptcy, sold the interest of M. HAYES, Jr., Esq., assignee, composed of the first-class leasehold property, with the dwelling and lot, situated on the south-east corner of Madison-avenue and Seventy-fourth-street, at the following prices: Corner house, lot 22 8 by 80, sold for $10,600 over and above a mortgage of $8,500, with interest from April 1, 1872, insurance premium $88 75 and costs of foreclosure about $200, making the total price some $19,388; four adjoining houses, similar in style, lots each 20 by 80, sold subject each to mortgages of $20,500, with interest from April 1, 1872, insurance $81 25, and costs of foreclosure; in each case amounting to $23,450 over and above this sum for $9,000, $9,600, $12,500 and $11,800 respectively. The purchaser in each instance was WM. A. BIGELOW, plaintiff in the foreclosure suit. A similar house and lot—latter 20 by 102.2—in rear of above, also covered by the legal proceedings, was not offered, a sufficient sum having been realized from the property sold to clear of the incumbrances on the whole. For these houses considerable competition caused upon the offering, and a good deal of feeling was manifested, but the prices realized were low. The buildings are new and are said to have cost $25,000 each, and had more publicity been given to the sale a better result would have been achieved. In this instance, as in most others, however, the notice contained little of any information, describing the realty as four lots with buildings, and as a consequence the general public, together with those present at the daily transactions at this Exchange, are kept in complete ignorance of the real value of the realty offered. It is to be regretted that parties interested in real estate, from circumstances forced upon the market, will not make a greater effort to have its value understood and the sale itself given greater publicity, for if this course was pursued we should have a better market so report, and at the same time should be relieved from placing upon record the almost daily sacrifices which we are called upon to do under the existing order of things. Mr. MILLER, in addition, sold at another foreclosure sale, adjourned from last week, Hon. JOSIAH SUTHERLAND referee, a three-story and basement stone-front house and lease of lot on the north side of East Fifty-sixth street, 184 feet east of First-avenue, for $7,200, the purchaser being CORNELIUS W. VAN VOORHIS. The lease is one from PETER GOELET for the usual term, ground rent $840 per year. This same property was sold at the Exchange last week for $7,600, the purchaser then having failed to comply with the terms of sale, a resale was had yesterday, with the result noted. The same auctioneer also offered at public auction improved City real estate, situate respectively on West Twenty-seventh-street, between Sixth and Seventh-avenues, and on East Fifteenth-street between Third and Lexington avenues, but without effecting sales, the bids received not warranting a transfer of title. No other business was transacted, the other sale expected to occur of a house and lot on One Hundred and Twenty-sixth-street, (Harlem) by A. J. Bloomer, Son & Co., auctioneers, having been postponed until Wednesday of next week, May 29. Reports of suburban sales held yesterday will be made to-morrow.

For today, at the Exchange, but one auction is announced, viz., legal sale by JOSEPH MOGUIRE, of eight lots on the east side of Ninth-avenue, forming the block fronting between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets. Only one suburban auction is also expected to occur today, namely: Sale at Jersey City on the property at 3 P. M., by LEWIS F. WOOD, of twenty-one lots, being a portion of the old St. George Club Cricket grounds. The lots to be offered are desirable and worthy the attention of investors.

The sale held at Greenville, N. J., on Wednesday, May 22, by A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BRO., was, so far as the auction was proceeded with, a success, but owing to the fact that the owner of the property was prevented by illness from being present on the grounds, only forty lots were offered. For these lots good prices were obtained, the average being about $230 each, and the aggregate of the sale $13,365. A full report, with manner of transaction in each instance, is appended. The attendance was larger than was expected. In relation to the sale announced by S. DINGEE, on Thursday, at Mott Haven Depot, Westchester County, at which eighty-four lots, located at Olinville, Westchester County, were to be offered under a legal order, no report has reached us.

ROBERT T. MEEKS, No. 60 Cedar-street, reports having sold at private sale, the four-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot, No. 144 West Forty-third-street, between Sixth-avenue and Broadway, 25 by 99 by 4 block, for $32,000.

NEW BUILDINGS PROJECTED.

During the past week, ending with Thursday, May 23, plans for the proposed erection in the City of the following new buildings, have been submitted for approval at the office of JAMES M. MAGGINNIS, Superintendent of the Department of Building, No. 104 Fourth-avenue:

Brown-Stone Fronts.

One public building, (Swedish Church,) north-west corner of Madison-avenue and 37th-street, six stories, 44.6 by 85; GEO. N. TAYLOR, owner.

Six French flat dwellings, north side of Fifty-sixth-street, 350 feet west of Sixth-avenue, five stories, 20 by 50; P. LEMORE, owner.

Five first-class dwellings, north side of Forty-fifth-street, 150 feet west of Broadway, four stories, 20 by 54; FALLON & REMBURG, owners.

Five stores and tenements, south-east corner of Thirteenth-street and Ninth-avenue, four stories, 20 by 56; W. N. JACKSON, owner.

One store and tenement, north-east corner of Third-avenue, One Hundred and Thirteenth-street, four stories, 75.7½ by 25; JAMES MARTIN, BRIDGE, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 76 Third-avenue, five stories, 25.10 by 62; WM. HEAN, owner.

Iron Front.

One first-class store, south-east corner of Broome and Greene streets, 50 by 100; R. N. L. TOWNSEND, owner.

Brick Fronts.

Six tenement-houses, south side of Sixty-sixth-street, 350 feet west of First-avenue, four stories, 25 by 55; JAMES GIBSON, owner.

One tenement-house, south side of Forty-fifth-street, 275 feet west of Ninth-avenue, four stories, 25 by 55; JOHN HARVEY, owner.

Six stores and tenements, north side of Thirty-sixth-street, 50 feet west of First-avenue, five stories, 50 by 56; F. GRANTY, owner.

Two stores and tenements, south-west corner of Second Broome-street, five stories, 18.3 by 54 and 64; PH. OTTMAN, owner.

Two stores and tenements, south side of Sixty-third-street, 125 feet east of Fourth-avenue, four stories, 25 by 47; PATRICK FARLEY, owner.

Two stores and tenements, south side of Thirty-eighth-street, 225 feet east of Tenth-avenue, four stories, 54.3 by 60; JAS. GILLESPIE, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 46 Stanton-street, five stories, 25 by 75; JOHN SCHINZER, owner.

One store and tenement, west side of Essex-street, 100 feet south of Stanton-street, No. 147, five stories, 125 by 57; JOHN HARNEY, owner.

One store and tenement, north side of Sixteenth-street, 175 feet west of Avenue C, five stories, 25 by 87; JAS. MCKENNA, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 216 Eleventh-street, five stories, 20 by 81; THOS. HAGGIS, owner.

One store and tenement, west side of Ninth-avenue, 25 feet south of Seventieth-street, four stories, 20 by 60; JOHN MCGUIVERE, owner.

One store and tenement, east side of Sheriff-street, 150 feet south of Stanton-street, five stories, 25 by 62; JOHN SCHNEIDER, owner.

One saloon, south side of Second-avenue, 125 feet of First-street, three stories, 17 by 50; H. KOHN, owner.

One factory, north side of Third-street, 75 feet west of Lewis-street, four stories, 45 by 90; GEO. HABLEY, owner.

One factory, south side of Forty-eighth-street, 175 feet west of Twelfth-avenue, three stories, 50 by 99; J. W. STEVENS & BRO., owners.

One stable, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street, 140 feet west of Fourth-avenue, three stories, 50 by 94; H. G. SPEAKMAN, owner.

One stable, south side of Sixty-third-street, 150 feet east of Fourth-avenue, four; two stories, 25 by 45; PATRICK FARLEY, owner.

One stable, south side of Thirteenth-street, 25 feet west of Avenue B, two stories, 25 by 45; OWEN MALLRADY, owner.

Exchange Sales, Thursday, May 23, 1872.

NEW-YORK.

By James M. Miller.

14 story and basement h. s. h. s. h. and l. s. s. corner Madison-avenue and 74th-st., lot 22.8x80.... $27,300

14 story and basement h. s. h. s. h. and l. s. s. Madison-av., 22.8 ft. s. of 74th-st., adjoining above, lot 22x80..... 9,600

14 story and basement h. s. h. s. h. and l. s. s. Madison-av., adjoining above, lot same size.... 21,400

14 story and basement h. s. h. s. h. and l. s. s. Madison-av., adjoining above, lot same size.... 20,800

14 story and basement h. s. h. s. h. and l. s. s. Madison-av., adjoining above, lot same size.... 20,800

14 story and basement h. s. h. s. h. and l. s. s. Madison-av., adjoining above, lot same size.... 21,300

3 story and basement stone-front house and lot 20x76.5 feet 16, Goelet lease, ground rent $840 per year..... 7,200

Suburban Sales, Wednesday, May 22.

GREENVILLE, N. J.

By A. D. Mellick, Jr., & Bro.

Block 1, lot 1, Edward Callahan, Greenville, N. J..... $175

Block 1, lot 2, M. A. Rodgers, New-York..... 350

Block 1, lot 8, John Meyer, Greenville, N. J..... 300

Block 1, lot 4, Geo. Wells, Jersey City, N. J..... 300

Block 1, lot 5, N. A. Rodgers, New-York..... 300

Block 1, lots 1 and 12, M. A. Rodgers, New-York..... 600

Block 1, lots 2 and 13, H. A. Roberts, New-York..... 600

Block 1, lots 3 and 14, c and 12, Abbie Smith, Lafayette, N. J..... 600

Block 1, lots 6, 7, G. W. Field, New-York..... 1,200

Block 1, lots 9, 11 and 15, Wm. Ferguson, New-York..... 900

Block 1, lots 8 and 9, J. F. Kinney, New-York..... 600

Block 1, lots 10 and 16, Charles H. Stephens, New-York..... 670

Block 1, lots 4 and 7, J. F. Learing, New-York..... 600

Block 1, lot 4, Thos. Wasse, Greenville, N. J..... 300

Block 5, lots 1 and 22, W. J. Oliver, New-York..... 600

Block 7, lot 22, Abbie Smith, Lafayette, N. J..... 300

Block 1, lot 22, Wm. Danley, New-York..... 300

Block 7, lots 19 and 18, Michael Morris, Lafayette, N. J..... 600

Block 5, lot 22, N. A. Rodgers, New-York..... 300

Block 5, lots 14 and 15, Patrick O'Donnelly, Jersey City..... 575

Block 7, lot 6, Edwin Beckwith, Brooklyn..... 300

Block 5, lots 1, 2 and 3, R. McSkimmy, Jersey City..... 225

Block 5, lots 4 and 5, R. Rodgers, New-York..... 750

Block 5, lot 1, John G. Meyers, Greenville, N. J. 300

Recorded Real Estate Transfers.

NEW-YORK.

Wednesday, May 22.

Fourteenth-st., s. s., No. 52, lease of 3, 21, 2 and 1..... $10,000

Bloomingdale road, (old,) w. s., 24.1 ft. n. of 106th-st., 24.1x99.8x100.7..... 3,150

Madison-st., s. s., No. 108, 2 story and basement brick dwelling, 18 x 50..... 1,600

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Europia.....Saturday, June 15	Caledonia.....Wed., June 26	
Anglia.....Saturday, June 22	Iowa.....Wed., July 3	
Cambria.....Saturday, June 29	Alsatia.....Wed., July 10	

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CITY OF LONDON.....Saturday, June 15, 7 A. M.
CITY OF WASHINGTON.....Saturday, June 22, 10 A. M.

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MINNESOTA, Capt. MORRIS.....June 19, at 3 P. M.
IDAHO, Capt. PECK.....June 26, at 10 A. M.
MANHATTAN, Capt. J. E. PARK.....July 3, at 3 P. M.

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ITALY, THOMPSON.....Saturday, June 1, at 1:30 P. M.
SPAIN, GRACE.....Saturday, June 8, at 7 A. M.

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May 20—Steamer RISING STAR, Capt. H. P. COWLES, will leave Pier No. 42 North River, at 12 o'clock noon, for Aspinwall, direct, connecting at Panama with steamer SACRAMENTO, Capt. ——, and also for connections for all Central American and South Pacific ports. Freight for last-named ports received until 3 P. M. of May 18.

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8:40 A. M. for Long Branch, Tuns River, Waretown, and intermediate stations.

3 P. M. for Long Branch and all intermediate stations.

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G. W. BENTLEY,
General Manager.

PEOPLE'S LINE FOR ALBANY.—The largest and most magnificent river steamers in the world, The ST. JOHN, DREW and DEAN RICHMOND, leave the foot of Jay-st. every afternoon, (Sunday excepted), at 4 o'clock. Arriving at Al any in time to connect with railroad trains West, North and East. Through tickets to be obtained at the office on the pier, or of the Porters on board. Baggage checked to its destination. Freight received until the hour of departure.

BOATS LEAVE PECK-SLIP, PIER NO. 24, N. R.

HARLEM AND ASTORIA.

Landing at 11th, 129th and 155th sts., at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 12 A. M., and 1, 2, 4, 5, 3:15 and 7 P. M.

Express boats landing at 129th-st. only, at 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 A. M., 1:30, 3:30 and 5:30 P. M.

Last boat leaves Harlem for Peck-slip at 6 P. M.

N. B.—This is the only line that connects with boats for High Bridge and King's Bridge.

Sunday boats leave Peck-slip hourly from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M.

J. P. TALLMAN, Superintendent.

CITIZENS' EVENING LINE STEAMERS for Albany and Troy, landing at Catskill, Fare fifty cents by the fastest night boats on the Hudson. Steamers SUNNYSIDE and THOMAS WORKMAN, leave Pier No. 34 North River, foot Spring-st., daily, (Saturdays excepted), at 6 P. M., making sure connections with all trains going North, East and West. Tickets sold and baggage checked to all points on the Rensselaer and Saratoga and Troy and Boston Railroads.

ALBANY AND TROY BY DAY LINE.—Boats C. VIBBARD and DANIEL DREW, (commencing May 27,) leave Vestry-st. Pier at 8:30 A. M., and 24th-st. at 9 A. M., landing at Yonkers, Tarrytown and Newburgh, Cozzens', Cozzy Dell, Poughkeepsie, Rhinebeck, Tivoli, Catskill and Hudson.

Trip tickets to Cozzens', West Point, Cornwall and Newburgh, returning same day, $1.

Connecting for all points, West and North.

STEAMER SEA BIRD—FOOT FRANKLIN-STREET, EAST RIVER, and intermediate landings.

LEAVE NEW-YORK.		LEAVE RED BANK.	
Tuesday, 21st	2:30 P. M.	Tuesday, 21st	6:30 P. M.
Wednesday, 22d	2:30 P. M.	Wednesday, 22d	6:30 P. M.
Thursday, 23d	2:30 P. M.	Thursday, 23d	6:30 P. M.
Friday, 24th	2:30 P. M.	Friday, 24th	6:30 P. M.
Saturday, 25th	2:30 P. M.	Saturday, 25th	7:00 P. M.
Monday, 27th	9:00 A. M.	Monday, 27th	9:00 A. M.

NORTH RIVER & N. Y. ST. BOAT CO.—Harrison-st. Pier.—Stm. CHRYSTEAN A, daily 3 P. M., except Sunday, for Yonkers, Irvington, Tivoli, Nyack, B. Lake, H'trsw, G. Pt., Verplanck, Peekskill; ADELPHI, at 4, for Englewood, Yonkers, Hastings, D. Ferry, T'town, S.Sing, H'trsw; ALEXIA, at 6, for Nyack and intermediate landings. Nyack & Tarrytown Ferry connects with H. R. trains.

OLD-ESTABLISHED ALBANY AND Troy line steamers, landing at Catskill, from Pier No. 46 North River, daily, Saturdays excepted. Fare, 50 cents; half state-rooms, 75 cents; face to Catskill, 10 cents. Leave Albany and Troy at 4 P. M. ADIRONDACK, connecting with railroads to all stations West and North, will leave as above at 6 P. M. Freight at reduced rates.

REGULAR SUNDAY MORNING BOAT for Newburgh, landing at Yonkers, Long Island, Cozzens', Cozzy Dell, Spring, Tivoli, Rhinebeck, West SLEEPY HOLLOW, Capt. James Sherman, leaves Fulton Ferry, Brooklyn, at 8 o'clock; Christopher-st., North River, 8½; 24th-st., North River, 9; every Sunday morning. Fare for the excursion, $1.

THE STEAMER ANTELOPE LEAVES New-York, foot of Harrison-st., every MORNING at 9 o'clock, 24th-st. at 9:15, landing at Yonkers, Dobbs Ferry, Tarrytown and Nyack, (by ferry,) Sing Sing, Haverstraw, Grassy Point, Verplanck's Point and Peekskill. Tarrytown omitted on Sunday.

FOR BONNOUT, LANDING AT COZZENS', Cornwall, Newburg, Milton, Poughkeepsie and intermediate landings, the STEAMER CORNELL and JAMES W. BALDWIN leave daily, at 4 P. M., Pier No. 34 North River, foot of Harrison-st.

AFTERNOON BOAT FOR NEWBURG, Poughkeepsie, Rondout and Kingston, landing at Cozzens', West Point, Cornwall, New-Hamburg and Milton; the MARY POWELL, from Vesey-st., Pier No. 2, every afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

FOR BRIDGEPORT AND ALL POINTS East on Housatonic and Naugatuck Railroad.—Fare, $1. Boats leave Catharine-slip at 12 noon, and 12 night.

NORWALK AND DANBURY.—THE fast steamer AMERICUS leaves daily foot of Barclay-st. and 23d-st. at 3 P. M.

FOREST-RAVEN, HARTFORD, AND THE NORTH.—Steamers leave Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3:15 and 11 P. M., connecting with road.

RAILROADS.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.

On and after MONDAY, May 13, trains will leave Jamaica as follows:

8:30 A. M.—Greenport Mail-train.
8:35 A. M.—Sag Harbor, Southampton, Bridgehampton, and all stations on Sag Harbor Branch.
9:00 A. M.—Hempstead Accommodation.
10:30 A. M.—Northport, Locust Valley and Hempstead Way-train.
1:00 P. M.—Rockaway Express-train.
2:30 P. M.—Sag Harbor, Southampton, Bridgehampton, and all stations on Sag Harbor Branch.
3:20 P. M.—Sag Harbor Express-train.
4:00 P. M.—Rockaway Express-train.
5:30 P. M.—Northport, Locust Valley and Hempstead Express-train.
6:00 P. M.—Northport, Locust Valley and Hempstead way-train.
7:30 P. M.—Flushing, from 34th-st., East River—Rockaway Express-train.

The above trains leave 34th-st. fifteen minutes later than James-slip.

Sundays, Flushing for Far Rockaway and all stations leave 34th-st., East River, at 8:15 A. M. and 12:15, 4:15 and 6:45 P. M.

Sunday trains for Huntington, Northport, Roslyn, Glen Cove and Locust Valley leave Hunter's Point at 9:00 A. M. and 6:45 P. M.

NEW-YORK CENTRAL & HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.

Commencing on Monday, Nov. 12, 1871. Through Trains will leave from New Depot, 4th-av. and 42d-st.

8.00 A. M.—Chicago and Montreal Express, with drawing-room cars through to Rochester and St. Albans.

10.30 A. M.—Special Chicago Express, with drawing-room cars through to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

10.45 A. M.—Northern and Western Express.

2.30 P. M.—Special Troy Express, on Saturdays.

4.00 P. M.—Montreal Express, with sleeping cars from New-York to St. Albans.

4.40 P. M.—Express, with sleeping-cars for Watertown, Oswego and Ogdensburg.

8.00 P. M.—Pacific Express, with sleeping-cars for Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls; also, for Chicago via both L. S. and M. C. Railroads; and for St. Louis via Toledo, leaves on Sundays at 8 P. M.

11.30 P. M.—Express, with sleeping-cars for Troy and Albany.

All local trains running north of Yonkers, leave from new depot. Yonkers Special Trains from 30th-st., west side, as heretofore.

O. H. KENDRICK, General Passenger Agent.

TO NEWPORT BY RAILROAD.
NEWPORT AND WICKFORD RAILROAD AND STEAMBOAT COMPANY.

On and after May 20, 1872, cars for this road will leave the New-York and New-Haven Restaurant Depot daily, (Sundays excepted,) at 8 A. M. and 12:15 P. M.

EXCURSIONS.

FOR EXCURSIONS.—THE LARGE first-class steamboats SLEEPY HOLLOW and NORWALK and barges SANDS, MYERS, HARKETT and FILGHILL; also, Dudley's, Raritan Beach, Spring Hill and Myers' Groves, Alderney Park and Long Island. J. & R. MYERS, corner Morton and West sts., (upstairs.)

SUNDAY BOAT FOR NEWPORT.—The steam-boat NORWALK will commence her Sunday route to Newport on SUNDAY, May 26, leaving Barclay-st. at 9:30 A. M., landing at Elizabeth-port, Union, Roseville and Perth Amboy.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR INDIAN SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
WASHINGTON, April, 1872.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at Rooms 2 and 4 Lenox Building, 48 Chambers-st., N. Y., of TUESDAY, the 28th day of May, 1872, which place will be open for business on and after the 15th day of May, 1872, for furnishing the following-named articles required for issue to Indians at the agencies named:

SANTEE AGENCY.

30,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
30,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 4,500 pounds per month	
10,000 pounds Coffee (green.)	
30,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
1,500 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
2,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
3,000 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

TANKTON AGENCY.

1,000,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
30,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 7,500 pounds per month	
600,000 pounds XX Flour, or 45,000 pounds per month.	
20,000 pounds Coffee (green.)	
60,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
3,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
7,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
7,000 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

WHITESTONE AGENCY.

4,000,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
324,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 18,000 pounds per month	
1,210,400 pounds XX Flour, or 100,800 pounds per month.	
36,000 pounds Coffee (green.)	
150,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
6,300 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
12,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
12,000 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

UPPER MISSOURI AGENCY.

1,800,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
108,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 9,000 pounds per month.	
900,000 pounds XX Flour, or 60,000 pounds per month	
36,000 pounds Coffee (green.)	
70,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
4,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
9,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
9,000 pounds salt, fine, in barrels.	

CHEYENNE RIVER AGENCY.

4,500,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
180,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 15,000 pounds per month	
1,020,000 pounds XX Flour, or 85,000 pounds per month	
120,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
7,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
14,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
14,000 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

GRAND RIVER AGENCY.

3,200,000 pounds gross weight of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
200,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 25,000 pounds per month	
1,200,000 pounds XX Flour, or 100,000 pounds per month	
100,000 pounds Coffee, (green.)	
200,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
12,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
25,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
5,000 pounds Saleratus, in boxes.	

RED CLOUD AGENCY.

3,300,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
300,000 pounds Bacon, clear sides, or 25,000 pounds per month.	
1,800,000 pounds XX Flour, or 150,000 pounds per month	
100,000 pounds Coffee, (green.)	
200,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
12,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
25,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
25,000 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

UPPER ARKANSAS AGENCY.

1,370,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
276,000 pounds XX Flour, or 23,000 pounds per month.	
22,000 pounds Coffee, (green.)	
45,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
2,500 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
5,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
4,500 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

KIOWA AGENCY.

2,500,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
480,000 pounds XX Flour, or 41,000 pounds per month.	
30,000 pounds Coffee, (green.)	
63,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
4,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
7,500 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
7,000 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

WICHITA AGENCY.

1,150,000 pounds, gross weight, of Beef Cattle, on the hoof	
138,200 pounds XX Flour, or 11,225 pounds per month.	
18,500 pounds Coffee, (green.)	
32,000 pounds best Brown Sugar.	
2,000 pounds Plug Tobacco, in boxes.	
3,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
4,000 pounds best Brown Soap, in boxes.	
2,500 pounds Salt, fine, in barrels.	

Bids for Beef state price per pound, gross. Parties bidding for the entire supply will state price per pound, net, and furnish a sample, of each article bid for except the bacon and salt. The prices must be those without modification, or any proposed modification whatever.

The best cattle must be good, merchantable Cattle all steers, from three to seven years old, in good condition, and averaging at least eight hundred pounds, live weight, to be determined by weighing on scales, when practicable. Their delivery must commence at each of the points named on the first day of July, 1872, at which time there must be twenty-fourth of the whole quantity will be delivered, and, thereafter, the balance to be delivered in equal quantities on the 15th and 1st of each month.

For the Upper Missouri Agency, the delivery of the quantity of Beef required for the month of January, February, March, April, May and June, 1872, of what are known as "native" or "American" Cattle, or of Cattle known as Texas Cattle, wintered north of Kansas, the Cattle so delivered to be fit for immediate slaughtering as regards age and condition, and to average not less than one thousand and fifty pounds, live weight.

That there may be no failure on the part of the contractor, he will be required to keep the Beef Cattle in the vicinity of the agency, to be delivered when required; and should it be ascertained that he is not collecting the Beef Cattle for delivery, or should he fail to deliver them as required, the undersigned will purchase, or cause to be purchased, Beef Cattle as he may elect, at the expense of said contractor.

All bids must be addressed to the Office designated and received by the Government at New-York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Omaha, Kansas City, or Sioux City, and, with the further exception of Beef Cattle, must be delivered, sealed and marked for shipment by the 15th day of June, 1872.

The Flour must be ready for inspection and delivery at such times and in such quantities as will secure, at each Agency, at all times, at least one month's supply.

Bids will also be received for the delivery at St. Louis or Kansas City, by the 15th day of September next, of the following quantities of Corn:

For the Upper Arkansas Agency, 29,276 pounds.
For the Kiowa Agency, 10,000 pounds.
For the Wichita Agency, 23,125 pounds.

Bidders will state in their proposals the delivery of any one or all of the above-named articles, in the quantities stated, at any one or all of the above-named agencies.

The Corn must be sound and sweet, and put up in gunnies.

The Flour to be fresh ground, of XX quality, to be made wholly from good, sound wheat, and to be delivered in sacks, of uniform size.

The Coffee to be delivered in double sacks. The sugar to be delivered in barrels, full head-lined.

Proposals will be received for the delivery of any one or all of the above-named articles, for any one or all of said agencies.

The undersigned reserves the right to increase or diminish the quantity of each or any of the articles which may be required at any agency or agencies.

All articles furnished by contract made under this advertisement will be subject to inspection, and such articles as may in any respect fail to conform in the requirements of the contract, or samples, will be rejected, and in that case the contractors or contractors will be bound to furnish others of the required kind or quality without delay, or if that be not done they will be purchased at the cost of the contractor.

Payments will be made at this office on proper receipts, after the accounts thereto shall have been properly approved.

Each bid or proposal must have a copy of this advertisement (a slip from a newspaper) pasted at the head.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals if the interest of the service should be deemed for the interest of the Government.

No proposal will be considered that does not strictly comply with the following form:

I, or we, propose to furnish the Indian Department, according to the terms of advertising dated by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, dated May 1, 1872, the following articles at the prices thereto affixed. (Here insert the list of articles proposed to be furnished, with the price of each affixed to each; there insert the proposed place of delivery, by the date, date.) And if this proposal be accepted I (or we) will within ten days after being notified, execute a contract according to the terms of advertising, with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs for the faithful performance of the same.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied by a guaranty in the following form, or by other guaranty equally responsible persons, whose sufficiency must be certified by a United States Judge or District Attorney.

We hereby, jointly and severally, guarantee that the above bidder, if a contractor, will, if a contract shall be awarded to him (or them) according to his (or their) bid or proposal, will execute a contract accordingly, and give the requisite security for the faithful performance of the same, and will furnish the articles mentioned in proposals for Indian Supplies, dated May 1, 1872; and in the event of his (or their) failure to do so, we hereby agree and bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, to forfeit and pay to the United States, as damages, a sum not less than fifteen per cent. on the amount of said bid or proposal, which will be required in the amount of the bid for the faithful performance of the contract, if given.

Bonds will be required in the amount of the bid for the faithful performance of the contract, with two or more sureties, whose sufficiency must be certified to by a United States Judge or District Attorney.

Each bidder must designate his place of business where communications sent to him will be received, the same to be entered in his contract, should one be awarded him.

Proposals should be inclosed in an envelope, addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies for Indians."

Bidders are invited to be present at the opening of the bids.

The bids will be opened in the presence of the Board of Indian Commissioners, and a committee to be designated by the Secretary of the Interior, as soon as the time for receiving the same shall have expired, and the contracts will be awarded as soon thereafter as practicable.

FRANCIS A. WALKER,
Commissioner.

PROPOSALS FOR WOOLEN BLANKETS.

DEPUTY QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
No. 205 BROADWAY, N. Y., May 6, 1872.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office, where proper forms will be furnished, until 12 o'clock M., on TUESDAY, June 18, 1872, for the delivery at the Schuylkill Arsenal, Philadelphia, of

10,000 WOOLEN BLANKETS,

to be of the army standard size and weight, and made of pure long staple wool only, and to contain no shoddy, hair or any other adulteration, and to conform to a sealed sample, which can be seen at this office.

STEWART VAN VLIET,
Deputy Quartermaster-General,
Brevet Major-General, United States Army.

OFFICE OF THE A. A. COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE,
WEST POINT, N. Y., May 15, 1872.

PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE WILL be received until 12 M., on the 15th day of June, 1872, for all the fresh beef and mutton required by the Subsistence Department at this post for six months commencing July 1, 1872. Information and conditions obtained of TULLY McCREA,
Captain First United States Artillery, A. A. C. S.

SUMMER RESORTS.

MIDDLETOWN SPRINGS, VT.

Summer season will be ready for the reception of guests on the 1st of June. This Summer resort is accessible by a day sail by the Hudson River Boats, or the Fishkill, through all the day trains, and has every the attractions of this delightful, healthy and the celebrated mineral springs.

Terms and other particulars on application to R. R. RICHARDS, Proprietor.

GRAND VIEW HOUSE,

Weehawken, N.J., twenty minutes' drive from Hoboken, half hour and twenty-five minutes by rail from New-York. Premises in front of park, mountain air, pleasant walks, &c.

WEEHAWKEN, NEW-JERSEY.

This magnificent hotel, having been greatly enlarged and improved, is now the finest and best arranged in the vicinity. Its open-air dining-room can be reached almost by horse-cars or horse and hand-road in forty minutes. For cards and terms address

N. P. SEWARD, Proprietor.

WATER GAP HOUSE,

DELAWARE WATER GAP, PENN.

This large and elegant hotel, just completed, will open on the 15th June. Novelties have been spared to make it perfect in every detail, and to make it throughout a luxury. The finest in the country. Terms, $3 per week; $14 per day.

L. W. BRODHEAD & BRO., Proprietors.

THE GRAND UNION HOTEL,

AT SARATOGA SPRINGS,

Will open for the reception of guests June 1. Applications for rooms can be addressed to Long Branch, or at the Gilsey House, New-York, where diagrams of rooms can be seen.

SYKES, GARDNER & CO., Proprietors.

WEST END HOTEL,

AT LONG BRANCH.

Will open for the reception of guests June 15. Applications for rooms can be addressed to Long Branch, or at the Gilsey House, New-York, where diagrams of rooms can be seen.

SYKES, GARDNER & CO., Proprietors.

PROSPECT PARK HOTEL,

CATSKILL, N. Y.

Will open June 10. House 200 feet elevation, with extensive grounds of seven acres, commanding the Hudson. Mountain air; scenery unsurpassed in the world. Pleasure grounds extended and improved. First-class accommodations for 300 or 400 guests; accessible by boats and cars. Address JOHN DRESSTED, Catskill.

SEND FOR SPECIAL LOW RATES.

THE EQUINOX HOUSE, MANCHESTER, VT.

LINWOOD HOUSE, COTTERSVILLE, N. J., on the Palisades, now open for guests; newly furnished throughout; one hour by express train; three-quarters of an hour by cars. The attractive Paradise Park, on the Hudson River, opposite Riverside, or 10 A. M., 2:15 P. M. and 5:45 P. M. from foot of 24th-st. or 10:15 A. M., 2:15 P. M. and 5:30 P. M. from 42d-st. Fare from foot of Chambers-st., by Northern Railroad of New-Jersey, 30 cents. Omnibus passes from boat to house; terms, $14 to $20 per week.

OTSEGO MINERAL SPRINGS.—White sulphur, iron and magnesia springs at Cherry Valley, N. Y., breathing mountain air, fine drives, yachting and fishing, and picturesque scenery; 4 miles

BOATING.

Latest from the American Crew in England.

List of Entries for the National Amateur Regatta on the Schuylkill—Gossip Concerning the Recent Pair-Oared Race.

THE ATALANTAS.

The London Press at Last Agreed Upon—The Americans and Their Critics. From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Friday, May 10, 1872.

The crew of the London Rowing Club is at last definitely settled, and though the fourth man is taken from a different organization and is not a member of the Club, the Atalantas do not murmur. Mr. John B. Closs, from the Cambridge crew, will occupy the bow seat, which has kept this very prominent gentleman-amateur concern in such tribulation. Messrs. STOUT, LONG and GULSTON remain as they were, and their spare man, or substitute, will be Mr. S. LeB. SMITH. The crew being, for the present at least, subject to no more changes, will go into active training at once.

The Atalantas appear on the river whenever the weather permits, and seem to be steadily improving. When this match was first made the Londoners considered it as a huge joke, and thought that any crew would be good enough to compete with four such little fellows. But since they have enjoyed the privilege of ocular observation, the great fluster over the fourth man convinces me that despite the average of twenty and three-fourth pounds more per oar, they have learned to appreciate the Yankee boys. The supposed critics who, though they are obliged to admit that the American crew row very prettily, and in most excellent time and concert motion, still find fault, and predict all sorts of disagreeable things; but let these gentlemen reserve their criticisms until the day of the race, or expend some of them upon the conduct of the London Rowing Club for their weakness in the matter of selecting a crew.

The National Amateur Regatta on the Schuylkill.

The members of the Schuylkill Navy are making the most strenuous efforts to bring the coming regatta, which will be held on June 13 and 14, to a successful and satisfactory issue. The Secretary and assistants are hard at work upon the records of the gentlemen entered for the various races, as it would be unfair to permit professional oarsmen to compete against amateurs. Objections should, however, be made long enough before the time set for the regatta to enable clubs to change individuals objected to, as otherwise entire crews would have to be withdrawn on account of the sins committed against amateur laws by one or two persons. The following entries, although not officially announced, are believed to be correct:

SINGLE SHELL.—John Lavery, of Pennsylvania Boat Club, Philadelphia; Thomas Pearson, Vesper B. A. Club, Philadelphia; John Lee, Richard D. Decker, Gulick Boat Club, New-York; George Englehart, Bowanaka Club, Greenpoint; Thomas R. Doyle, Kingfisher Club, Boston; James O'Neil, Atalanta Club, New-York; John Lesser, Atalanta Boat Club, New-York; Albert S. Swan, Atalanta Club, New-York; Harry S. Truax, Gulick Club, New-York.

PAIR-OARED SHELL.—Nassau Club, of New-York—Entries have been forwarded to be selected from crews named below. Friendship Boat Club, of New-York—Thomas J. Allen and Jas. S. Murray.

DOUBLE-SCULL SHELL.—Crescent Boat Club, of Philadelphia—W. A. Sibell, Richard Rushton, Noah H. Clarke, of the Undine Club. Atalanta Boat Club, New-York—Eben. Lesse and Alden S. Swan.

FOUR-OARED SHELL.—Vesper Rowing Association of Philadelphia—John H. Keelan, stroke; William McFarlane, Owen Van Winkle, Thomas Pearson, bow; substitutes, Howard Flagg and H. C. Elliott. Nassau Club, New-York—Grinnell Willis, stroke; Frank G. Jones, G. S. Floyd-Jones, J. W. Rees, Bowd-Jones; substitutes, J. H. Miller, Lindsey Watson, and J. B. Roberts. Friendship Boat Club, New-York—Patrick Devine, Philip O. Bigler, Wm. Hurley, Thos. J. Allen; substitutes, Jos. L. McCahill, Wm. J. Cotton, Jr., T. J. Gallagher. Princeton College Club—H. B. Burt, stroke, M. Smith, R. Williams, Jr., A. Devereaux, Jr.; substitutes, A. Marquand and D. Nicoll. Neptune Rowing Association, of West Brighton, N. Y.—Oliver Johnson, stroke; Joseph McMurray, Nathan Barrett, Charles DeKay, bow; substitutes, H. Y. Wemple. Quaker City Boat Club, Philadelphia—J. D. McBeath, stroke; E. Reyburn, C. B. Adams, Frank Wood, bow; substitutes, S. D. Stinson, Crescent Boat Club, of Philadelphia—W. C. Cohn, stroke; H. Witmer, W. C. Brown, T. B. Harper, bow; substitutes, C. E. Stout, P. A. Welsh.

FOUR-OARED GIG.—Nassau Club, New-York, four shell crew as above; Crescent Boat Club, of Philadelphia, same crew entered for four-oared shell with W. Stout, coxswain; Quaker City, of Philadelphia, same crew entered for four-oared shell, with G. W. Parker, coxswain; Pennsylvania, of Philadelphia, Max Schmidt, Oliver Johnson, stroke; Glendenning, A. C. Maurer, John Lewis, coxswain; John Levens, substitute. Malta, of Philadelphia—Crew selected from six-oared barge.

SIX-OARED BARGE.—Gulick Vesper Rowing Association, Yonkers, same as four-oared shell crew, with C. M. Cumings and H. W. Flagg; substitute, Benjamin Macon. Chesapeake Boat Club, Norfolk, Va.—Fred Hardy, stroke; George McIntosh, W. H. Hall, W. J. Farrell, W. C. Dickson, bow; R. T. Moore, coxswain; J. T. White and F. B. Dorrin, substitutes.

SIX-OARED BARGE.—Quoddy Boat Club of Jersey City—W. W. Wales, stroke; W. O. Pearson, T. D. Schanck, D. Henry, D. S. Gregory, third; C. H. Herford, coxswain, F. H. Curtis or W. E. Learned; substitutes, George Ockerhausen, L. S. Montgomery, Joseph E. Hardenburgh. Quoddy Club, Philadelphia—W. S. Haines, A. Spering, H. R. Hinchman, E. Thomson, H. R. Barnhurst, C. E. Steel, S. O. Baker. Malta Club, Philadelphia—E. F. Fink, W. A. John, T. Whitcomb, T. O. Hooper, J. L. Ilman, P. J. Hoffyn, coxswain; J. McCurdy and S. H. Ilman, substitutes.

Many of the above will be subject to a very critical examination, and it is expected that a number will be ruled out, but as none but positive proof will be accepted, there will be enough left to make either of the races very interesting.

The course is very fair, although narrow at some points for a large number of boats, and the arches of the bridges being too narrow to permit two boats to pass one arch abreast, serious difficulties may arise, especially if crews should be well matched and row close races. The surroundings are most beautiful—fresh verdure fringing the shores, and hills covered with beautifully variegated foliage, add to the picturesqueness of the scene; the drives and paths close to the water's edge, on both sides of the Schuylkill, afford a good view of the course, and bluffs and promontories abound, offering good places of observation to spectators. The gentlemen of the various clubs located at this attractive spot seem individually determined to contribute their services toward the comfort and convenience of intending participators.

A little north of the main entrance to Fairmount Park a very neat double house shelters the Pacific and Quaker City Boat Clubs; going north continually from here, we find three others located at short distances apart, in the following order: Pennsylvania Barge Club and Crescent Boat Club, in a double house; Bachelor's Barge Club, University and Philadelphia Boat Clubs, in double house; Malta and Vesper Boat Clubs, in double house; Undine Boat Club and Philadelphia Skating Club and Humane Society occupying the last of the handsome stone architectural gems.

The Recent Pair-Oared Race.

The introduction of pair-oared racing, if properly encouraged, will have a very beneficial influence on the form and style of our oarsmen, whether professional or amateur. It is certainly the most difficult mode of propelling a racing shell, requiring great skill and steady application. This is no boat for shirkers, as either or both would be detected at once, while in the larger boats, rowing four, six or eight oars, a man can steal a passage by going through the motions, not rowing a pound of his own weight. To the BIGLIN brothers, therefore, is due the credit of having introduced a novelty which is both pleasing and very useful; their even, yet cleaning style, is well suited to pair-oared rowing, and their display in this branch of the popular science on Monday last proved that, although comparatively new, even to them, they have thoroughly mastered all difficulties connected therewith. The friends of HARRY BIGLIN, also the members of his family, have tried their utmost to dissuade him from his aquatic career, and although nearly every match for which he trains and rows in costs him as much as he gains thereby, he goes to work, and JOHN as well, with good cheer, abstaining with Roman fortitude from all the luxuries of life, whether great or small.

However much praise rightfully belongs to the BIGLIN brothers, HARRY COULTER and his protégé, LEWIS CAVITT, must not be overlooked. COULTER'S reputation, like that of the BIGLINS, is firmly established; but he, being of a more phlegmatic temperament, gains fleshy very rapidly, and is therefore compelled to do more than twice the amount of labor to bring himself down to his rowing weight. To this difficulty his defeat may be in part attributed; his body was too round and sleek, no single muscle being discernible even in action; his weight at race time (167 pounds) was at least ten pounds below the truth. His partner, CAVITT, was nearly as much too spare, in consequence of the excessive work which he shared with COULTER; his weight was at least six or eight pounds less than stated, and he had been permitted to row in order to gain a little, while COULTER reconditioned his own arduous task.

The result of this race should, and probably will, lead to a single scull contest between COULTER and JOHN BIGLIN, the winner then in all probability claiming the championship of America; now, as the WARDS seem determined to hold all such titles within the circle of their numerous family, something of national interest may occur as a sequel to this.

THE TURF.

The Third Day's Trotting at Fleetwood Park Postponed.

In consequence of the storm Wednesday night and yesterday morning, the Fleetwood Park Association postponed the third day's races until today. The programme comprises two contests, which, from the number of entries in each, promise excellent sport. The first race is for horses that have never beaten 2:30, which has the following entries: W. H. WILSON, bk. m. *Lollie Pop*; A. VANDERBURG, s. g. *Frank*; B. G. MURPHY, b. f. *Joe*; JOHN ELLIS, b. g. *Jim*; W. H. DOELK, b. m. *Rosalind*; Wm. McMASTER, b. g. *Coroner K*; ISAAC PAWLING, b. g. *George*; LOU MORRIS, b. m. *Nettie Morris*; A. PATTERSON, ch. g. *Greenhorn*; PETER MARCH, ch. m. *Lady Drew*; J. L. DOTY, br. g. *Edwin Booth*.

The second trot will be for horses that have never beaten 2:27, which has the following entries: DANIEL PRINCE, g. g. *Lottery*; J. H. WHITSON, ch. g. *Clarence*; BUDD DOBIE, blk. g. *Gleaner*; JOHN MURPHY, b. g. *Charley Green*; A. PATTERSON, ch. g. *Dreadnaught*; GEORGE M. FERGUSON, blk. g. *James H. Burke*.

FASTEST TIME ON RECORD.

HARPER, with Lexington ran five other horses, left Lexington, Ky., Monday at 1 o'clock, and arrived at Monmouth Park, Long Branch, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

H. P. MCGRATH, with six horses, left Lexington, Ky., Tuesday at 1 o'clock, arrived at Monmouth Park, Long Branch, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. They came by the Pan-Handle, Pennsylvania Central and Camden and Amboy Railroads, and have arrived in fine condition.

Pool-Selling Last Night.

The following pools were sold on the races at MARSHALL & JOHNSON'S last night:

2:20 PURSE.

Charley Green	$140	$120	$90
Lottery	125	100	60
J. H. Burke	40	70	21
Field	20	18	8

2:30 PURSE.

Edwin Booth	$35	$	$
J. Ellis	25	20	10
Nettie Morris	20	15	17
Coroner K	20	10	
Frank			7
Field	100	35	20

BASE-BALL.

An Interrupted Game Between the Red Stockings and Forest Cities at Boston.

The first game of the championship series between the Bostons and the Forest Cities of Cleveland was commenced in Boston yesterday afternoon. In the first inning the Bostons made one run while the Forest Cities were whitewashed. Both were blanked in the second. In the third the Bostons scored eight, after again blanking their opponents. In the fourth the Bostons scored one, to two by the Forest Cities. At the conclusion of this inning the game was stopped by rain, and the umpire, MILLS, of the Mutuals, declared the game null and void, as required by the rules in all cases where less than five innings are played.

NOTES.

Today: Troy vs. Forest City at Troy, and Mansfield vs. Baltimore at Troy. The Forest Citys play the Eckfords to-morrow and the Mutuals on Monday at the Union Ground. On the 30th the Forest Citys and Baltimores play at Chicago.

The same arranged to take place at Baltimore yesterday between the Athletics and Baltimores was declared off, by mutual consent, and the next meeting between the Clubs will take place at Philadelphia to-morrow. The result of each game will be telegraphed to the Union Ground, Williamsburg, during the Eckford-Forest City game.

The Alerts, of Seton Hall College, defeated the Vespers, of Manhattan College, at South Orange, N. J., yesterday afternoon, by a score of 25 to 9. The game ends the series in favor of the Alerts.

Gear Markets—Communication from the Superintendent.

The Committee on Markets of the Board of Assistant Aldermen met at 1½ P. M. yesterday, CHRISTIAN SCHWARTZ, Chairman, presiding. The following communication from the Superintendent of Markets, relating to their management and condition, was read. It is a copy of one sent to Controller GREEN:

BUREAU OF MARKETS, May 20, 1872.

SIR: In answer to your request I would state:

First—That all the market-houses are now cleaned every day. Those located uptown are swept out—sidewalks and gutters—before 8 o'clock A. M., and that at the closing of the same the inside is cleaned and all garbage, offal and other filth are removed the same evening. The laws in relation to unwholesome food are rigidly enforced.

Second—The stoops, gangways or passages, and all other arrangements around and in relation to the various stalls, have not been changed, except some of the passage-ways have been enlarged, to the manifest advantage of all interested, and where obstructions have been placed in the gangways they have been removed.

Third—The greatest obstruction so removed was the retailing of meats at Washington Market on the Greenwich street sidewalk, which at times was so blocked up, being the only or main passage-way, that a great many citizens were obliged to go up to Washington-street, and even as far as Greenwich-street, to reach the farmers or other places.

In the several markets there are numbers of stalls occupied by non-residents, and others again are residing temporarily out of the City during the hot months.

Third—The obstructions on streets and sidewalks within the market limits with sheds, boxes, wagons, &c., is a subject which is more under consideration. Many of these walks near the market-houses have been so used and allowed by former authorities for many years past, but no increase of sheds has been allowed under my supervision.

Fourth—The laws and ordinances in relation to extortion, false weights, dodgers or unwholesome food are rigidly enforced. These persons formerly engaged in selling unwholesome meats have been stopped or suspended from the markets.

Fifth—In regard to prices for articles of food, I know of no illegal combinations among the dealers, which are regulated by the natural laws of supply, demand, and quantity.

Sixth—Many of the market buildings are certainly in a dilapidated condition, some of them not having been repaired for many years, (or if so, very slightly,) although we find large amounts of money charged against certain market buildings for repairs which I have been unable to find. The ventilation through the markets is generally good.

Seventh—The Washington, West Washington, and the Fulton Market buildings should be replaced by larger and finer structures, more suitable for the varied and constantly increasing business, and each would be able to accommodate much of the surrounding trade, and thus relieve the streets and sidewalks which are now so much occupied as to impede and inconvenience the public who may have occasion to visit those necessary institutions.

Very respectfully, THOS. F. DE VOE, Superintendent of Markets.

ANDREW H. GREEN, Controller.

The Industrial School.

The late J. COWPER LORD, so well known in his lifetime as one of our most enterprising business men, left as a perpetual memorial the Industrial School now known by his name. This institution, situated in Greenwich-street, in the First Ward of our City, has, ever since its organization some sixteen years ago, been operating most successfully among the poor of that district. As an organization, it is comprehensive and beneficent, comprising within its sphere of labor a free reading-room for working men, a free library, with lectures during the winter, and an industrial school for boys and girls. In addition, an evening school is maintained during six months of the year. The free reading-room is among the best equipped of its kind in the City, and the school, with its excellent corps of teachers, has but few superiors. Yesterday the annual May reception was held at their rooms, No. 307 Greenwich-street. The scholars participated in a variety of exercises, consisting of duets, recitations, dialogues and choruses. Interesting addresses were delivered by Hon. HOOPER C. VAN VORST, of the Board of Public Instruction, Mr. JAMES FRASER and Mr. JOHN PATTEN. The exercises were conducted by D. E. HAWLEY, Treasurer of the Association. A numerous company of ladies graced the occasion by their presence. The teachers in charge of the school are worthy of especial mention, both on account of the excellent discipline maintained, and the careful training evinced by their pupils.

Personal.

Gen. A. N. Meyhert, of the United States Army; Col. A. T. Spreuse, of the United States Army, and J. G. Williams, of Baltimore, are at the Coleman House. Commodore W. Reynolds, of Washington, is at the Gilsey House. Hon. A. Bartran, of Massachusetts; Alderman A. Stern, of Rochester, and Dr. Wadsworth, of Baltimore, are at Earle's Hotel. Col. W. R. Johnson, of Saratoga Springs, is at the Sturtevant House. State Senator William T. Harrobin, of Bennington, Vt., is at the Westminster Hotel. Senator L. K. Thacher, of Kansas City, Mo., Gen. F. W. Simms, of Savannah, and Judge G. G. Munger, of Rochester, are at the St. Denis Hotel. Capt. Meyhier, of Paris; Gen. Bartlett, of Massachusetts, and Gen. B. Prince, of the United States Army, are at the New-York Hotel. Prof. Benj. Pierce, of the United States Coast Survey, and Frederick Billings, of Vermont, are at the Brevoort House. Hon. F. W. Hughes, of Pennsylvania; Gen. Robt. Scott, of Kentucky, and Judge Charles Dewey, of Vermont, are at the Grand Central Hotel. Gen. Wm. G. Bly, of Connecticut; Col. Lester; R. W. Daniels, of Buffalo; Judge E. H. Rosenkrans, of Glen's Falls; Ben. Field, of Albion, and Homer A. Nelson, of Poughkeepsie, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. Hon. A. J. Cassatt, General Superintendent of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad; Hon. J. E. McDonough, General Manager of the Pittsburg and Fort Wayne Railroad; Hon. Julius Hotchkiss, of Connecticut, and Gen. B. B. Lewis, of Alabama, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

CHURCH MATTERS.

Anniversaries, Conferences and Synod Held Yesterday.

The Williamsburg Sunday-Schools—The Methodists in Brooklyn—The Baptist Home Mission and the Presbyterians.

The Sabbath-School Anniversary in Williamsburg.

Yesterday was a complete gala day in the Eastern District of Brooklyn, it being the anniversary of the Sabbath-school Association, comprising nearly forty schools of different Protestant denominations. The children were assembled by divisions as follows: The First Division, consisting of the First Reformed, St. Peter's Evangelical and the Ninth-street Mission Schools, in the First Reformed Church on Bedford-avenue, where they were addressed by Rev. W. MCKELVEY, Dr. PORTER, Mr. GOWEN, and Mr. G. C. HORSON; the Second, consisting of three schools in the South Third-street Presbyterian Church, where they were addressed by Rev. W. H. TAYLOR, of Greenpoint, and Dr. WELLS; the Third, consisting of two schools, in the Lee-avenue Reformed Church, near Hewes-street, Rev. Drs. BROAD and HYDE SMITH, speaking; the Fourth, consisting of three schools, in the First Presbyterian Church, on Sixth-street, where Rev. Mr. GLOVER made the address; the Fifth, consisting only of St. John's Methodist Episcopal School, in their church on Bedford-avenue, where Prof. WELLS, of Union College, and Rev. Dr. TYNG spoke to the children; the Sixth, consisting of three schools, in the First Baptist Church, on Fifth-street, Rev. Mr. PENTACOST and Rev. J. B. BRACKETT making the addresses; the Seventh, two schools, in the Central M. E. Church, South Fifth-street, where Revs. G. HOLLIS and J. L. PECK spoke; the Eighth, two schools, in Lee-avenue Baptist Church, Rev. Messrs. GUERNSON and DEMING being the speakers; the Ninth, three schools, in South Third-street M. E. Church, near Twelfth-street, where Rev. Mr. WARE made the address; the Tenth, three schools, in the Grand-street Congregational Church, South Ninth-street, Rev. Messrs. CONKLIN and REODE speaking; the Eleventh, two schools, in the South Second M. E. Church, where addresses were made by Revs. SAMUEL BEELE, of West Virginia, and J. H. TUNKER; the Twelfth, two schools, in the Rose-street Presbyterian Church, the speakers being Rev. Mr. MYERS and Messrs. HARRIS and JONES; the Thirteenth, two schools, in the Grand-street Methodist Church, Rev. Messrs. JOHNSON and KENDRICK speaking; and the Fourteenth, three Episcopal schools, in Christ Episcopal Church, Bedford-avenue, Rev. Mr. CHADWICK making the addresses. At each of these places the anniversary hymns, "Great Redeemer," "His Banqueting House," "Onward, Christian Soldiers," and "See the Earth from Bondage Breaking," were sung by the children. By 5½ o'clock the various divisions had marched to and from the side streets leading from Fourth-street, south of Broadway, whence they marched, four front, to and along the west side of Bedford-avenue to beyond Penn-street, when they turned and retraced their steps along the east side. The procession was three miles long, and took over an hour to pass a given point. When the head had returned to the Marble Fountain, the eighth division had only just started, thus making the procession three times the length of the line of march. The children were all neatly, and many elegantly dressed, and each division carried numerous small banners ornamented with flowers, mottoes, as "Feed my Lambs," "Infant Pilgrims," "Earnest Workers," &c., far too numerous to particularize. The larger banners were carried by young men, the restraining cords and tassels being held by girls or young women. All the young girls of the First Reformed Church carried elegant bouquets of fresh flowers, making a very pretty effect. The thousand children belonging to St. John's M. E. Church, forming the fifth division, each carried a United States flag, while the small banners were interspersed everywhere along the line. In the Tenth Division a little child, elegantly dressed in white, was carried, in an open palanquin under a canopy of white and pink muslin, on the shoulders of four men; and the little daughter of Rev. Mr. BRODT was wheeled along in her perambulator, which was made a perfect bower of flowers. The houses along the route were decorated with flags, banners and streamers. They were at least from 10,000 to 12,000 children and young persons in the procession, varying from six to sixteen years of age.

The Methodists—St. Louis Designated as the Place for Holding the Next Conference.

The religious exercises of the Methodist Conference were conducted yesterday by Rev. Dr. HODGSON, of Central Pennsylvania. Among the memorials presented were one from Central New-York, remonstrating against a change of boundaries; one from Illinois, in favor of the union of all the Methodist bodies; one from New-Hampshire, against multiplying the higher institutions of learning; one from Wisconsin, relating to the legal place of women in the ministry of the Church; and one from the citizens of St. Joseph, Mo., asking for the establishment of a branch book agency in that city.

A resolution was offered for amending the discipline in regard to the separate vote of the ministerial and lay delegates. The section, it is amended, will read:

"The ministerial and lay delegates shall sit and deliberate as one body, but they shall vote separately when proposed changes in the Discipline which need such separate vote shall be demanded by one-third of either order; but in such cases the concurrent vote of both orders shall be necessary to complete an element."

It was ordered to be printed.

The order of the day was the question of where the next General Conference shall be held, and St. Louis was chosen.

After some discussion, 10½ today was fixed as the hour of ordination of the Bishops in the Academy of Music. Dr. WOODRUFF was elected Secretary of the Conference in the place of Bishop MATTHEW SIMPSON, who resigned. Members of the Committee on Itinerancies in the place of Bishop PECK, and the Conference there upon adjourned.

The Presbyterian Synod in Brooklyn.

The Presbyterian Synod continued its session, yesterday afternoon, in Brooklyn. The resolution concerning the ousted congregation in Philadelphia was discussed and adopted, with but three dissenting votes. It reads as follows:

Resolved, That the General Synod, deeply sympathizing with the brethren in their trials, and cordially approving of their efforts to secure for the use of the Reformed Presbyterian Church the property, and services to which they are fully entitled, do hereby authorise and direct them to continue to prosecute the same in all proper methods to their final adjustment.

The case of ALEXANDER ROBINSON, of New-Brunswick, who has been a suspended missionary of the Church for seven or eight years, was brought up, and Rev. Dr. STORRS was directed to send a letter to him as was done once before.

A report from the Committee on Sabbath Desecration was received, concluding as follows:

"In view of the whole subject, and particularly of the fact that at present efforts are being made to secularize the day of which God's law has said, 'Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy,' and thus to rob many of the day of holy rest, Synod respectfully calls upon the proper authorities of the land to use such wholesome measures as shall stem the tide of Sabbath profanation, which, if continued, must bring upon the land the outpouring of God's wrath."

The report was accepted and adopted unanimously.

After prayer by Rev. Dr. MCLEOD, and the singing of the one hundred and thirty-third Psalm, Synod adjourned to meet in Pittsburg, Penn., on the third Wednesday of May, 1873, at 7½ P. M.

Rev. Mr. MORTON pronounced the benediction.

The Baptist Home Mission Society—Fortieth Annual Meeting.

The American Baptist Home Mission Society held its fortieth anniversary yesterday, in the Calvary Church, in Twenty-third-street. Hon. J. M. S. WILLIAMS presided, Rev. Mr. BARRENDS of Yonkers, N. Y., led the devotional exercises. Committees were appointed as follows:

Committee on Arrangements—Rev. Mr. McArthur, New-York; Rev. J. R. Taylor, D. D., R. A. Crosby, Esq., Rev. Christopher Rhodes, Rev. J. E. Kendrick, D. D., New-York; Rev. Wm. Reid, New-York; S. S. Constant.

Committee on Enrollment—Rev. A. K. Potter, Massachusetts; Rev. G. R. Brigham, New-York; Rev. A. S. Patton, Rev. Thomas Swain, Samuel Gutzer.

Committee on Nominations—Rev. H. G. Weston, D. D., Pennsylvania; Rev. Marcenes Stone, D. D., Ohio; Rev. T. D. Anderson, D. D., New-York; Oprah Hills, Massachusetts; J. T. Howard, Esq., Connecticut; M. Davis, Esq., Vermont.

Rev. JAY S. BACKUS, D. D., read the annual report of the Executive Board to the Society. It embraces the record of the Board during the forty years of its existence, as was directed at the last annual anniversary. The document opens with a history of the formation of the Society, states the purpose and intent of the organization, and closes with a summary of the States, receipts, missionaries, labors and results. From this it appears that the contributions for the last year amounted to $195,850 58. The number of churches receiving aid amounted to 425; the aggregate number of sermons preached was 27,441; the number of persons baptised was 8,850; the churches organized numbered 150; the number of families religiously visited was 111,136; the prayer-meetings held numbered 56,416; the contributions to benevolent objects from churches and others amounted to $18,420 87; the number of persons in the Sabbath-schools was 49,420.

Rev. J. B. SIMMONS, D. D., then read the report of the work in the South. Some of the missionaries in Mexico have been compelled to flee, owing to the commotion occasioned by the civil war. The report records that $60,000 have been expended during the past year for educational work among the freedmen, and urges the ample endowment of the training-schools for them.

Rev. E. H. L. TAYLOR, D. D., read the report of the Church Edifice Department, which stated that the fund at present amounts to more than $200,000. The Department during the year aided in building 113 meeting-houses, principally in the Far West. In conclusion, it recommended that $100,000 be raised to add to the fund, as the building of 100 Baptist churches is contemplated throughout the country.

The meeting then adjourned until 8 P. M.

The afternoon session commenced with the reading of the Treasurer's report, which stated that the balance now remaining in the treasury is $19,302 97.

A resolution to amend the constitution of the Society so as to admit of a limited representation from each State, instead of a delegation from each church, was supported by the Board. This occasioned a stormy discussion as to whether the resolution should be referred to a special committee or be recommitted to the Board, with instructions to confer with other boards, and report at the conclusion of the ensuing year. Finally the latter course was adopted, and the resolution was recommitted, with instructions.

A committee of five were appointed to bear the greetings of the Society to the M. E. Conference now in session in Brooklyn.

An hour was occupied in "five minute speeches" on the various interests of the Society, the officers were elected for the ensuing year, and the meeting adjourned. In the evening the delegates again assembled, when speeches were delivered by Rev. ROLLIN H. NEALE, D. D., and others.

The following is the list of officers elected:

President—Hon. J. M. S. Williams, Massachusetts. Vice-President—Hon. J. R. Doolittle, Chicago; Hon. Ira A. Cross, Pennsylvania. Treasurer—Wm. A. Gelstly, New-York. Auditors—Wm. Phelps, New-York; J. B. Hoyt, Stamford, Conn. Corresponding Secretaries—Rev. Ray S. Backus, on Northern and Western Work; Rev. James E. Simmons, of Education and Southern Work; Rev. E. H. L. Taylor, of Church Edifice Work. Recording Secretary—Rev. E. T. Ruggles, D. D., of Brooklyn.

Managers—First Class—D. M. Wilson, Esq., Newark, N. J.; Jacob F. Wyckoff, Esq., New-York; Rev. T. Armitage, D. D., New-York; Rev. L. A. Grimes, Boston, Mass.; Rev. J. D. Fulton, D. D., Boston, Mass.

NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

THOMAS KELLY, residing at No. 33 Washington-street, fell from a three-story window at No. 12 Beekman-street, yesterday, and was fatally injured.

Controller GREEN yesterday paid the laborers on "big pipes," on the line of the work, the wages due to the 18th May inst., amounting to $22,390 30.

JOHN BRENNAN, of No. 16 Gouverneur-street, fell through the hatchway at MILLER & CONGER'S store, No. 273 South-street, yesterday, and sustained serious injuries.

JOHN LANGER, of No. 348 West Forty-eighth-street, fell from a new building at the corner of Scammel and Monroe streets, yesterday, and sustained serious injuries.

Prof. T. STERRY HUNT, F. R. S., of Montreal, will lecture this evening before the Polytechnic Association, in Room No. 34, Cooper Union, on "The Origin of Metalliferous Deposits."

The Eleventh Assembly District Republican Association held its regular monthly meeting last night—Mr. THOMAS C. ACTON in the chair. A number of new members were enrolled.

The employes of DAVID MOFFAT & Co., curriers and leather merchants, will in future leave off work at mid-day on Saturdays, the firm having voluntarily granted the concession to their workmen.

EDWARD EARLE, a liquor-saloon keeper, who was charged with passing counterfeit fifty-cent stamps, was discharged yesterday by Commissioner SHIELDS, the Government failing to substantiate the charge.

Mr. W. H. SIMONSON writes, contradicting the communication of Superintendent CASSIDY to the Commissioners of Emigration in reference to overcharges for lumber. He states that he has made no overcharge whatever.

The schooner *Mary Anna*, from Elizabethport, for New-London, with coal, while passing through Hell Gate, yesterday, sprung aleak, and was run ashore on the flats in Flushing Bay, where she now lies with her deck just out of water.

GORDON GORDON, for whose arrest an alias attachment for failure to appear in Court was handed to Order of Arrest Sheriff JARVIS, could not be found yesterday by that official. The missing man, it is rumored, is now in St. Paul, Minn.

The proposals for the street-cleaning contract, received by the Board of Police in answer to their advertisement, will be opened at 4 o'clock this afternoon in presence of the full Board. Mayor HALL having been invited to be present on that occasion.

There was nothing of special interest in the proceedings of the Special Sessions yesterday. The cases of the mutineers of the House of Refuge, which it was expected would come up, were, on motion of counsel, set down for trial at the General Sessions.

OTTO GEISLER, a German fresco painter, residing at No. 130 West Fifteenth-street, was arrested, yesterday, on a charge of bigamy, preferred by MARY GEISLER, of No. 150 Forsyth-street. Justice SCOTT, at Essex Market, held him in $1,000 bail to answer.

A large number of invited guests visited the remodeled steamer *City of Brussels*, of the Inman line, yesterday, at Pier No. 45 North River, and after an inspection of the hull, partook of a collation. The particulars of the improvements of this vessel were published in the TIMES of Monday.

THOS. H. ARMSTRONG, the man who stabbed his mother, MARY ARMSTRONG, at their residence, No. 427 East Fourteenth-street, on Wednesday night, was held at Essex Market yesterday to await the result of her injuries. Dr. BLAIRPOINT certified that Mrs. ARMSTRONG was in a dangerous condition.

In the Yorkville Police Court yesterday, AUGUST MAYER, of Bergen, was charged by HENRIETTA HEINERT, of No. 850 Third-avenue, with stealing a $50 watch belonging to her. The evidence was insufficient to send him for trial, but Justice COULTER sent him to Blackwell's Island for ten days as a vagrant.

JOHN MILLER, of No. 105 Chrystie-street, and GEORGE MEYER, of No. 201 Forsyth-street, quarrelled last evening in the tenement-house No. 299 Forsyth-street, and MILLER stabbed MEYER in the abdomen, inflicting a serious wound. The injured man was taken to Bellevue Hospital, and MILLER was arrested.

Coroner HERRMAN was requested, yesterday, to take the ante-mortem statement of Mrs. SARAH JACOBS, who is said to be living in a dangerous condition at her residence, No. 100 Bayard-street, from a severe beating received several days ago at the hands of some unknown persons. The matter will be fully investigated.

Early yesterday morning, while SAMUEL SEWELL, a young man residing at Palace Hotel in Spring-street, was rowing in a shell-boat in the North River, opposite Pier No. 54, the boat was capsized by the swell from a passing steamboat and SEWELL was precipitated into the water and drowned. His body was not recovered.

A meeting of the Fifteenth Assembly District Union Republican Association was held last evening at No. 344 West Thirty-third-street. The reports from the delegates to the Akron and Troy Conventions, in favor of the re-election of President GRANT, were received and adopted. Several new members were enrolled, and the meeting adjourned.

ROBERT CLAYTON, of No. 216 West Thirty-seventh-street, by occupation a printer, was yesterday committed by Judge COX in default of $2,000 bail, for having on Wednesday night snatched a gold watch, valued at $75, from the vest-pocket of ROBERT GILLEN, a lawyer, of No. 132 West Fourth-street, as he was passing through Clinton-place.

The Arcadian Club opened its rooms at No. 58 Union-square last evening under singularly favorable circumstances. There was a large attendance of the members and guests, among whom were Rev. HENRY WARD BEECHER, Dr. BELLOWS and Rev. Mr. BELLOWS. The two former delivered addresses congratulating the Club on the event they met to celebrate.

Among the plans for new buildings proposed in this City is one for the erection of a "Swedish Cure," to be located on the northwest corner of Madison-avenue and Fifty-eighth-street. The building is to be of brown stone, 44 feet 6 inches front by 86 feet in depth, six stories high, and the cost, when completed, is estimated at $66,000. It will contain rooms for patients, and the interior is to be replete with every modern convenience.

BROOKLYN.

There were 3,327 inmates in the county charitable buildings at Flatbush on Wednesday.

The Controller received bids yesterday for $100,000 of Park bonds at prices ranging from 101 7-10 to 102½.

OWEN GILMARTEN, a liquor-dealer, was arrested yesterday for stealing a horse and wagon, valued at $250, from a man named PHILIP SCHWICK.

The body of JOHN GEORGE, a German, who has been missing since the 5th instant from his home, No. 85 Ferris-street, was found in the river yesterday at the foot of Conover-street.

The *Westfield* case, which has been on trial in the City Court during the week, was brought to a close yesterday by the jury disagreeing. They stood nine for plaintiff and three for defendant.

The funeral of Ex-Mayor SMITH was very largely attended yesterday afternoon. The pall-bearers were Mayor Powell, A. J. Beekman, R. D. Van Anden, Dr. I. Mason, and Dr. John Hazlett.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday agreed to purchase for the location of the Twenty-third Regiment Armory a piece of ground adjoining the rink property, containing sixteen lots, running 176 feet on Clermont-avenue, 200 feet through to Vanderbilt-avenue, and 176 feet on the latter, at a price not to exceed $65,000.

Gen. JOURDAN, President of the Police Board, went to Washington on Wednesday to tender his resignation as Assessor of Internal Revenue. The most prominent applicants for the position are Gen. H. B. Freeman, Secretary of the Long Island Savings Bank, and Assistant Assessor A. G. ALLEN, formerly Assessor of the Second District.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

A number of persons owning property on the west side of Fordham-avenue, in the town of West Farms, have signed a remonstrance to the Commissioners of Public Parks against widening the avenue on the west side, as proposed, and asserting that the improvement could be made on the east side with trifling damage to property.

The Grand Jury of Westchester County, during their brief session this week, found twenty-five bills of indictment—eight of them for felonies—including one against JOHN HUGHES, for shooting JOHN H. KLEIN, with intent to kill, and another against CHAS. AVERY, for shooting his wife. The trial of HUGHES was commenced yesterday.

LONG ISLAND.

ROBERT WHITE, the contractor who was shot at Rockaway on Monday by FRANKLIN SHERMAN, was rather worse yesterday. Judge FRASER granted an order of arrest against HORTON in a civil action commenced by WHITE for $20,000. HORTON could not be found. E. T. V. NORTON is about to commence an action against WHITE for trespass, and against the South-side Railroad Company for damages.

STATEN ISLAND.

The grass and early crops in Richmond County still continue to suffer from the lack of rain, the showers of the past few days being insufficient to allay the severe drouth. The village authorities are sinking several wells in Edgewater.

NEW-JERSEY.

The Newark Conference camp-meeting will assemble on Aug. 13. Many improvements are already being made on the grounds.

The trial of JAMES COONEY, for the murder of ROBERT LAWRENCE, on Morgan-street, Jersey City, two weeks ago, was yesterday set down for Monday next.

On Wednesday evening a fire was discovered in the straw-braid manufactory of WHEELER & Co., at Montclair, and before aid could be secured the entire building was destroyed. The loss is $8,000, partially insured.

The carmen employed in carting stone for Gen. WRIGHT, a contractor at Orange, yesterday struck for an advance of twenty-five cents a cubic yard for carting. The price at present paid is $1 25. The men quit work, and no compromise has been made.

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